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DOCTRINE  
OF  
FLUXIONS:

Not only explaining

The ELEMENTS thereof,

But also its

APPLICATION and USE



In the several Parts of MATHEMATICS  
and Natural PHILOSOPHY.

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# The P R E F A C E.

**T**O say any thing in Praise of the Method of Fluxions, or of its Dignity and Rank among the Mathematical Sciences, would be as needless as to describe the Excellency of bright Sun-shine above the twinkling Light of the Stars; since any one who is acquainted with the Sciences will allow it to be a Method of Calculation incomparably superior to all other Methods that ever were known or found out; and beyond which nothing further is to be hoped or expected. It lends it's Aid and Assistance to all the other Mathematical Sciences, and that in their greatest Wants and Distresses: It opens and discovers to us the Secrets and Recesses of Nature, which have always before been locked up in Obscurity and Darknes. To this all the noble and valuable Discoveries of the last and present Age are entirely owing: And by this Method Sir Isaac Newton, the worthy Inventor, determined and settled the System of the whole visible World.

The Use and Application of FLUXIONS are exceedingly extensive; for Example, in Trigonometry, it teaches the Computation of Sines, Tangents and Secants; in Arithmetic, the Calculation of Logarithms; in Geometry, drawing Tangents to Curves, finding their Curvatures, their Lengths, and Quadratures, the Surfaces and Solidities of Bodies; in Mechanics and Philosophy, the Investigation of the Centers of Gravity and Oscillation, the Vibration of Pendulums, the Laws of Centripetal Forces, the Times, Velocities, and Spaces described by Bodies acted upon by any Forces, the Motions and Resistances of Bodies in Mediums, &c. These are some of the numberless Instances, wherein Fluxions are applied with such wonderful Success. And though some few of these may be (and actually have been) hammer'd out with great Labour and Difficulty by other Methods; yet the Process of none of them can in the least be compared with that Beauty, Simplicity, and charming Elegance, with which

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*the Method of Fluxions performs all these Things. In short, the Method of Fluxions is capable of resolving such Difficulties as raise the Wonder and Surprise of all Mankind, and which would in vain be attempted by any other Method whatsoever. So that it is justly esteemed the greatest Work of Genius, and the noblest Thought that ever entered the human Mind.*

*The Method of Fluxions is founded upon this most simple and obvious Principle, viz. that any Quantity may be supposed to be generated by continual Increase, after the same Manner that Space is described by local Motion. The great and noble Inventor tells us, that in this Method he considers Things as generated by continual Increase, after the Manner of a Space which a Thing or Point in Motion describes. Now the Conception of this is exceeding easy and natural; for we every Day see with our own Eyes all kinds of Lines and Figures described by the Motion of Bodies: This Principle then will be easily admitted. And further, since we also see by Experience, that these very Lines and Figures are described, some with greater Degrees of Velocity, some with less, some with Motions continually accelerated or retarded, and some with uniform Motions: We shall easily understand that any one of these Lines or Spaces has in every Point of it's Description a certain Degree of Increase determinate in it self, and peculiar to that Point, and which is the same with the Velocity of the Thing that describes it. And to determine this Velocity, or this Degree of Increase, in any given Point of the generated Quantity, is the same Thing as finding the Fluxion of a proposed variable Quantity, and is the Foundation of all the Arithmetick of Fluxions. And to determine this truly is of the greatest Consequence for establishing the Theory.*

*Many Disputes and Objections have been advanced against the Truth of the Method of Fluxions; and amongst these Disputants, as it commonly happens, those have been the most inveterate, who understood the least of the Matter. To answer all the Cavils that have been offered will be of little Consequence in any thing, and of none at all for settling*

settling the true Notion of Fluxions. Therefore, instead of that, I shall, by following Nature as closely as I can, endeavour to give the unprejudiced Reader a clear and true Idea thereof; and then perhaps he will be able to judge for himself, whether the Principles of this noble Art be capable of Demonstration or not. In order to this, let us assume what has been before laid down, that any generated, flowing Quantity is analogous to a Line described by a moving Point, and that the Velocity of this Point in any place represents the Fluxion of that Quantity in the correspondent Place of the Fluent; now I shall consider the Generation of this Line, instead of the Fluent, as being more easily understood.

It is the general Practice in Mechanics, to measure the Velocity of a Body by the Space uniformly described in a given Time. For Velocity being that by which a Body is carried through a given Space in a given Time, therefore Velocity must be looked upon as the proper efficient Cause of the Space described; and the Space described the adequate Effect of that Cause. Now suppose a right Line described with any sort of Velocity, accelerated, or retarded, at Pleasure, and that we would enquire what is the Velocity of it in any given Place. If we take a small Part of the Line, which the moving Point describes just before it arrives at that Place, and call it an Increment, and suppose it to be described in a very small given Time; then this Increment will nearly measure the Velocity of the describing Point at the place proposed, and is sufficient to give a vulgar Notion of the Degree of Velocity required. Now if this right Line was described uniformly, this would accurately measure the Velocity. But since that Increment is described with a Velocity, by supposition, continually variable, therefore this Notion we have here obtained is to be corrected; the first Notions we get of any Subject are generally incorrect, and demand a nicer View, and a more accurate and philosophical Examination, before we can acquire Notions that are perfect and adequate. Here then it will be very evident, if we take still a lesser and a lesser Increment, by which the Velocity

is measured, as the Point still draws nearer the proposed Place; we approach nearer and nearer to a uniform Velocity, till the Difference be less than any assignable: And this Increment will differ from the true Measure of the Velocity, by less than any given Difference: And as this Increment continually diminishes, till at last it vanishes, it approaches continually to that Measure, till the Difference vanishes with it.

Now although by diminishing the Increment at Pleasure we can approach within any Degree of Exactness to the Velocity required, yet since no Increment can be taken so small, but it is still further divisible ad infinitum; and since the Velocity is by Supposition continually variable, it is plain, there can be no two Points of this Increment in both which the Velocity is accurately the same. It is therefore most manifest, that the Velocity here enquired after is peculiar to one only indivisible Point; and that Point is the Place where the Increment ends, or vanishes into nothing. Here then we see plainly, that the Velocity in any given Point of the Line described (or, which is the same thing, that the Fluxion in any given Point of a generated Quantity) has a certain, fixed, determinate Value, proper to that Point of it alone: And this furnishes the Mind with that accurate abstract Idea, which we ought to form of this Velocity or Fluxion. And here we may observe, that this Degree of Velocity (or Fluxion) we have been here considering, and which continues but a Moment, differs from the same Degree of Velocity (or Fluxion) which continues for any given Time, and by which a given Space is actually described; these, I say, differ no otherwise than as a Cause in POWER differs from a Cause in ACT.

Here a metaphysical disputant may demand, how it comes to pass, that any Velocity which continues for no Time at all, can possibly describe any Space at all; or whether its Effect be absolutely nothing, or an infinitely small Quantity, or what it is. Here then it is, that our Reason is at a Stand, and the human Faculties are quite confounded, lost, and bewildered. We are puzzled and

and perplexed by endeavouring to examine into the Nature of we do not know what, nor whether it is something or nothing: And at best is some such subtle, fleeting Thing, as the Mind can lay no Hold on, nor form any Idea of. Now whether such subtle Questions will be ever determined, or not, yet there is one Refuge for us, viz. that it is nothing at all to our Purpose what they are: And therefore we may safely leave these deep Speculations to those that have more Business with them. The Method of Fluxions has no Dependence on these mysterious Disquisitions. What I apprehend the Method of Fluxions to be concerned in, is, not what any single abstract Velocity can describe or generate of itself, but what a continual and successively variable Velocity can produce in the whole. And here I think no Reason can be assigned, why a variable Cause should not produce a variable Effect, as well as a permanent Cause a permanent and constant Effect. For since every Effect has a co-instantaneous Existence with its efficient Cause, and is always perfectly connected with it; all the Difference can only be this, that the continual Variation of the Effect must always depend on, and be proportional to, the continual Variation of the Cause that produces it. And this will always be true, though we have no Ideas at all of the perpetually arising Increments, or their magnitude in their nascent or evanescent State, that have so much, and to so little Purpose, confounded and puzzled the mathematical World. And whether we can or we cannot conceive the formal Nature or Manner of existing of a thing just arising out of nothing, or beginning to be; or whether a nascent or evanescent Quantity be any thing or nothing; yet the truth of the Method of Fluxions will stand just as it did. But these sort of Disputes have been artfully introduced for no other Purpose but to involve the Subject in Obscurity, to darken the Reader's Judgment, and thereby to mislead and divert him from pursuing the principal Business in Hand, that is, from considering the proper Evidence on which alone this Doctrine is founded; by insinuating that the Knowledge  
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of these things is essential to the very Nature and Foundation of Fluxions: When, it is evident, all that the Method of Fluxions does or ever did propose, being either to determine the Velocity (or Fluxion) wherewith a generated Quantity increases in any given point; or else to sum up all that has been described or generated by such continually variable Fluxion, during any given Time, or to any given Point of the Fluent or generated Quantity. These two things alone are the two Bases on which this noble Structure (the Method of Fluxions) is to be erected. All metaphysical Speculations, of what Nature soever, having no Business here.

I shall now bring an Instance or two out of the Phenomena of Nature, which will help the Reader's Notions a little; and will shew, that what has been said before, concerning the Nature and Idea of Fluxions, is really true, and agreeable to the Nature and Constitution of Things. Let a heavy Body descend through a perpendicular height of  $16\frac{1}{2}$  Feet in one Second of Time, according to the Gallilean Hypothesis of Gravity; then at the end of this Second of Time, the Body has acquired a Velocity of  $32\frac{1}{2}$  Feet in a Second; which therefore is accurately known. Now take any Point *A* in the right Line, at any given Distance from the Place the Body fell from, and the Velocity which the falling Body has in the Point *A* may be most accurately computed. But take any Point above *A*, though at ever so small a Distance, if it be distant at all from *A*, and the Velocity in that Point will always be something less than in the Point *A*. And in like manner the Velocity at any Point below *A*, though indefinitely near it, will be something greater than in *A*: and therefore it is plain, that to the Point *A*, there belongs a certain determined Degree of Velocity, which belongs to no other Point in the whole Line, and this is accurately the Fluxion of that right Line in the point *A*; and is the Velocity with which the Body would proceed if the Force of Gravity should be supposed immediately to cease when the Body arrives at *A*, and to act no longer.

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Let there be a glass Tube, open at both Ends, and whose Concavity is of different Diameters in different Places, let it be immersed in a running Stream of clear Water, so that the Water may flow freely through it, and always fill the Tube. Then it is evident, that in different places of the Tube, the Velocity of the Water will be reciprocally as the Squares of the Diameters of the Tube, in these places, and will therefore be different. Therefore if you mark any Place in the Side of the Tube, and suppose a Plane to pass through the Tube perpendicular to the Axis, or to the Motion of the Water, then the Water will always pass through this Section with a certain determinate Velocity. But suppose another Section to be drawn, though ever so near the former, then (by reason of the supposed different Diameters) the Water flows through this with a Velocity different from that it did at the former: And therefore that given determinate Velocity belongs only to one single, indivisible Point, or Section of the Tube, and this is the Fluxion of the Space which the Fluid describes at that Section; and is that uniform Velocity with which the Fluid would continue to move, if the Diameter continued the same through the succeeding part of the Tube. Something like this may be observed in a River, for there the Velocity is greatest, where the Dimensions are least, and less where these are greater.

Again, let a hollow Cylinder be filled with Water, and let it flow freely out through a Hole at the Bottom of it. It is well known, that the Velocity of the effluent Water depends on the Height of the Water within the Cylinder; and therefore, since the Surface of the incumbent Water continually descends without any the least Stop, the Velocity of the effluent Stream will continually decrease, till it all be run out. Therefore it is plain, there can be no two Moments of Time, succeeding each other ever so nearly, wherein the Velocity of the running Water is precisely the same. And therefore the Velocity that the effluent Water has at any given Point of Time, belongs only to that one particular, indivisible Moment of Time,

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and no other: And this is accurately the Fluxion of the Fluid flowing out at that Moment of Time. Now if precisely at that Moment you begin and continue to pour more Water into the Cylinder, so that the Surface of the Water may descend no lower, but keep it's Place; then the effluent Water will also retain it's Velocity, and continue to be the Fluxion of the Fluid as before. Now these are the genuine Effects and Operations of Nature it self; and do, in a manner visibly, confirm the Truth of what has been said of the Nature of FLUXION.

From these Examples and many more that might be produced, it is clear to me, that it is an essential Property of the Fluxion of a generated Quantity, that it does not retain any one determined Value for the least Space of Time whatever; but at the Moment it arrives at that Value, the same Moment it leaves it again; so that it only passes gradually and successively through all the indefinite Degrees contained between the two extreme Values which are the Limits thereof, during the Generation of the Fluent: That is, in case the Fluxion be variable at all; but if it is invariable, the extreme Values, and all the intermediate Degrees, are but one and the same Value. And therefore, although any determinate Degree of Fluxion do not continue at all, yet every Fluent has (intrinsically) in itself, some determinate Degree of Fluxion, at every determinate, indivisible Moment of Time.

It being now, I suppose, made evident, that every generated Quantity has every where a certain Rate of increasing (called its Fluxion) whose abstract Value is determinate in itself, at any determinate Point of that Quantity: Therefore to find out its Value, or its Ratio to any other Fluxion, is a Problem strictly geometrical. It remains to enquire in general how we must compute this Value. And here the only, or at least the most natural Way is, to get the Proportion of the Increments generated by the Fluxions in all Suppositions of Magnitude of these Increments, and from thence collect the Ratio they first begin with. When the Fluxions and  
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Moments of the simple literal Quantities are designed by proper Symbols ; it will be easy by the binomial Theorem to find the contemporary Increment of any compound Quantity ; for that will be expressed in the Form of a Series. Now although it is evident, that this Increment of the compound Quantity is not accurately the Fluxion of it in any determinate Point, because that very Increment is generated by a Fluxion continually variable ; yet it is as evident that it continually approaches to it, by continually diminishing the Increments of the simple Quantities. Here then will be had in general, the Ratio of the Fluxion of a simple Quantity to the Fluxion of that compound Quantity, and in the lowest Terms, and that as near the truth as we please, whilst we suppose some, though very small, Increment actually described. But since the Ratio of these Fluxions is required for, and belongs only to, some one indivisible Point of the Fluent, that is, in the very beginning of the Increment, or when there is no Increment at all generated ; therefore in this particular Case making the Values of the simple Increments nothing, which before was expressed in general, and then all the Terms wherein they are found will vanish, and what is left will accurately show the Relation of the Fluxions, for that single indivisible Point where the Increment is supposed first to commence, or was required. For this abstract Value of the Fluxion belongs to no more Points than one of the Fluent ; and therefore of Consequence the Moments must be made to vanish, after we have seen by the continual Diminution thereof, whither the Ratio tends, and what it continually converges to ; which will be as visible to every Body as the very Characters it is written in. And if any one should doubt of the Truth of this, I should for ever despair of convincing him of any thing at all. The Increments here must necessarily be made use of, not to determine their Magnitude as some have absurdly imagined, but as a Medium in our Reasoning, to discover the Quantity of the Cause that produces them, they being the continual Effects of the Fluxions ; and how can we

judge of the Force or Efficacy of a Cause, without considering the Effect that it does or could produce: For that like Causes are proportional to their Effects can never be denied, except by those that can deny any thing. This Way of Reasoning and Method of Demonstration then must be exceedingly clear and convincing to all that are duly qualified to examine and consider it, and do not with a most unaccountable Obstinacy, and invincible Prejudice, resolve to yield to no Reason at all, though laid before them as clear as the Sun.

And here it may be worth observing, that in the Process of this Demonstration, the Terms which vanished out of the Increment of the compound Quantity, did plainly arise from, and was generated by the Variation of the Fluxion of that compound Quantity; and the remaining Quantities alone are those generated by the Fluxion itself.

The Easiness and Simplicity of this Method of Demonstration is no small Argument for it's Truth and Perfection. The Simplicity of Truth is it's great Beauty. And by this Mark it here proves itself to be the genuine Off-spring of Nature and Truth. But if any Persons will not assent to the Truth of these Principles, I would have them suspend their Judgments, lest they make it appear that they have no Judgment at all. In the mean Time let them compare the Results and Conclusions obtained by the Method of Fluxions, with the like Conclusions obtained by other undisputed Principles or Methods of Calculation; and if these Results continually agree, then it is a convincing Proof (at least à posteriori) that the Principles from whence they are deduced must be equally true. But if any Person that plainly discovers himself unacquainted with mathematical Principles, shall, out of his Aversion to these Sciences, cavil and dispute against the Principles here laid down, and which he understands nothing of; and endeavour to put the Issue on such a footing, as neither himself nor any Body else can understand any Thing about it, by running the Account of it into the dark: I think it can be of no Consequence

sequence at all to trouble a Man's self with this Sort of Anti-Mathematicians. Ignorance, Malice, or Prejudice can deserve no Notice.

And thus much I choos'd to say here by way of Preface, rather than in the Book itself, (which I would not encumber with needless Disputes) concerning the Nature and Principles of Fluxions; a Thing easy enough to be understood, and rendered difficult, more by the intricate Disputes that have been dragged into it by the Enemies of Science, than from the Nature of the Thing itself. The divine Newton (whose Works will last as long as the Sun and Moon) clearly saw that this Matter did not at all require to be built upon any metaphysical Speculations; he, by expressing the simple Moments by general Characters, did thence derive, by infinite Series, the Moments of compound Quantities; from whence he gets the Proportion of the Fluxions for any indetermined Values of these Moments, from which general Proportion he at last gains their Proportion for that particular Case where the Moments first begin, or at last vanish into nothing. And thus he has given a Demonstration extremely easy, and compleat in itself.

If Arts and Sciences of many hundred Years standing receive daily Improvements and Additions, it cannot be supposed that this most sublime Art of all, found out but Yesterday can be arrived at Perfection all on a sudden. If this Art be so exceedingly useful and valuable, it certainly deserves the Pains and Attention of the learned Mathematicians. And the World must expect that the Beauty of this Method will excite them to lend all their Assistance towards the Advancement of so noble a Branch of Learning, whether it be in improving the Theory, or facilitating the Practice. Therefore I hope I shall be excused at least, if, among others, I endeavour to contribute a little towards this great End.

The following Book is divided into three Sections: In the first are laid down such universal Propositions, as are the Foundation of all that Doctrine. The second Section applies these Principles to the Solution of the most general

*ral Problems, or those of most frequent Use in the Mathematicks: And here many of the Problems so often done by others are resolved by Methods entirely new, and, I think, more simple; and therefore will by many Persons be more easily apprehended in this Form. And because the Resolution of physical Problems has been little touched on by others, I have added the third Section, where you have the Investigation of some of the chief physical Problems in the Phenomena of Nature. And in this Section, it may perhaps please a Reader of the Principia (the greatest human Production that ever appeared in the World) to see many of the Author's subtle Problems resolved by his own Analysis.*

*It is not in the least pretended that all Things here treated of are new; for I have collected many Things which I thought material for forming this Doctrine into a regular System; and what was wanting I endeavoured to supply as well as I could; not that I take it to be perfect: For there are many Desiderata still wanting to compleat the Science. Because the Method of finding Fluents by the Tables is exceeding compendious and useful, and has yet been but very slightly passed over by the Writers on this Subject: I have been at the Pains (which was not a little) to compose a new Table, whose Use will appear upon trial to be far more easy and intelligible than any extant; and no less extensive. And for the Explanation and Use of it, I have given a vast Variety of Examples throughout the whole Book. Yet I have not omitted the most general known Rules for finding the Fluents by infinite Series; and have inserted the general Forms of them in the Table. In the Use of which Table there is not the least Difficulty, there being nothing required but a bare Substitution of Quantities. But as to the Resolution of Problems by infinite Series, I have been more sparing of that, because it has been well prosecuted by others. I am not ignorant, that (by the Method of Transmutation of Fluxions) this Table might have been further extended, and other more compounded Forms might have been inserted. But, considering how seldom*

seldom these come in Use, I thought it needless to carry it any further. I have all along, in my Calculations, used distinct Characters for the Fluxions and Moments, since they ought not to be confounded together. And in most Problems (except such where the Reasoning is so obvious as not to need it) I have used both of them; beginning first with the Moments, and substituting at last the Fluxions for the evanescent Moments which are proportional thereto.

In all these Things I have designedly been very short. For the general Rules and Methods of Operation being laid down in as few Words as possible, the Examples will explain their Meaning and Use. In the mathematical Sciences I have taken general Methods to be best; and they that deal in the detail of Things, and spin them out to an unnecessary Length, making thereby a pompous show of Words only, do certainly mispend the Time of their Readers: Since one great End to be aimed at in the Sciences, is to abridge and reduce them to the most general and concise Rules.

As I am not conscious of any Faults I have committed in this Treatise, so I hope they are but few. But in such a vast Variety of Things of the most intricate Nature, it is hardly possible but some will escape. Therefore I must beg of the courteous and good natur'd Reader (for whom alone it was written) that he will rather kindly inform me of my Errors and Defects, than censure and condemn my Work. For as Truth is what I seek, I shall with Pleasure retract or correct any Thing I have written, when it appears inconsistent with that or the Reason of Things.

Lastly let me acquaint the Reader, that it is indispensably required, that he perfectly understand Arithmetic, Geometry, and Algebra in all their Parts and Improvements, the Methods of Series, Doctrine of Proportions, Nature of Logarithms, Mechanics, and Laws of Motion, &c. all which are to be learned from these particular Sciences to which they belong. For I am clearly persuaded that it is the best Method to treat every Science

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*distinct and entire by itself, without the Mixture or Interposition of any Thing foreign to the Subject. And therefore in this Treatise I have delivered nothing but the pure Doctrine of Fluxions alone. It would be but lost Labour for any Person unacquainted with these Precognita, to spend any Time in reading this Book; or indeed to attempt to read any such like Treatise with any tolerable Judgment. The Consequence would be, that either the Author or the Difficulty of the Subject must be blamed, as is always the Case; but never the Reader. But then if he comes thus prepared, this will make every Thing easy and pleasant, and he will then find few Difficulties here, but what he will easily surmount. All which I submit to the Perusal of the candid and judicious Reader.*

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*That any Quantity may be supposed to be generated by continual Increase.*

**H**ERE Quantities are consider'd, not as composed of an infinite Number of constituent Parts, but as described by a continued Motion. Thus a Line is described by the Motion of a Point ; and a Rectangle may be conceiv'd to be generated by the Motion of one Side along the other ; and Time proceeds by a regular Flux. And all other Quantities may (by Analogy) be conceived to be generated after the same Manner.

D E F I N I T I O N S.

Definition I.

Quantities generated by a continual Increase are called *Fluents* or *Flowing Quantities*. Those Quantities that always retain the same Value are called *given, constant, standing, or invariable Quantities*; and those

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that are continually changing their Value are called *variable* or *indetermin'd Quantities*.

Thus in a Circle the Diameter is a constant Quantity; and the versed Sine and correspondent Sine are variable Quantities: Also in a Parabola, the Latus Rectum is a constant Quantity, and the Abscissa and correspondent Ordinate are variable Quantities.

### Def. II.

The Velocity of the Increase of any generated Quantity, or the Degree of Quickness (or Slowness) wherewith the new Parts of it continually arise, is called its *Fluxion*.

Thus when a Line is generated by the Motion of a Point, the Line itself is the Fluent, and the Velocity of the moving Point is strictly its Fluxion. But Velocity is never properly ascribed to any Thing but local Motion, and is used in this Definition, rather to *describe* what is meant by the Word Fluxion, than to *define* it. Velocity is the same in a *particular* Sense in Relation to the Space described, as Fluxion is in a *general* Sense in Relation to the Fluent generated thereby. Velocity is allow'd by all to be a simple Idea, and so is Fluxion too. When a Man considers the Generation of several Quantities, after this Manner, he will find some to increase faster, others slower; and consequently that there are comparative Velocities (or Fluxions) of Increase during their Generation: And thus he will by Degrees get the Idea of a Fluxion; but without such attentive Consideration, he will never be the wiser for all the Words in the World.

### Def. III.

The indefinitely small Portions of the Fluent which are generated in any indefinitely small Portions of Time are called *Moments* or *Increments*. Or if the Fluent decreases, the Portions continually destroy'd are called *Decrement*s.

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These Moments are the immediate Effects of the Fluxions, and are those Quantities by the continual Accession of which the Fluent increases and grows bigger and bigger : That is, any Moment consider'd alone is the adequate Effect of some single determinate Fluxion which is (consider'd as) its generating Cause. Therefore the Moments and Fluxions ought not to be confounded together, since the Moments (being generated by the Fluxions) are as different from the Fluxions, as any Effect is different from its Cause.

Def. IV.

The *Velocity*, *Variation*, or *Quickness of Increase* (or *Decrease*) of any Fluxion is called the *second Fluxion*; likewise the *Variation* or *Quickness of Increase* of the second Fluxion is called the *third Fluxion*, &c.

As in the Generation of any Fluent, the different Parts of it may be generated faster or slower, that is, its Fluxion at different Times may be unequal; so there must be Degrees of Variation by which it is continually changing, that is, it must have a second Fluxion. And in like Manner this second Fluxion may also be continually variable, and therefore must have a certain Degree of Variation in every Point, or a third Fluxion. And so on.

Def. V.

*Contemporary Fluents* are those which are supposed to be generated together or in equal Times; or which begin together and end together.

Def. VI.

In any Fluxionary Equation, a *Quantity* of the *first Order* is that which has only one first Fluxion in it; a *Quantity* of the *second Order* has either one second Fluxion or two first Fluxions: *Quantities* of the *third Order*, are third Fluxions, product of three first Fluxions, product of a first and second Fluxion, &c.

## NOTATION.

1. The first Letters of the Alphabet,  $a, b, c, \&c.$  are generally put for standing Quantities; and the last,  $x, y, z, \&c.$  for variable or flowing Quantities.

2. If  $x$  or  $y$  be put for any fluent or variable Quantity, then the same Letter with a Point over it  $\dot{x}, \dot{y}$ , denotes the Fluxion of  $x$  or  $y$  respectively; and the same Letters twice pointed  $\ddot{x}$  and  $\ddot{y}$ , are the Fluxions of  $\dot{x}$  and  $\dot{y}$ , or the second Fluxions of  $x$  and  $y$ : thus  $\dddot{x}$  and  $\dddot{y}$  are the third Fluxions of  $x$  and  $y$ : Likewise  $\ddot{\dot{x}}$  and  $\ddot{\dot{y}}$  denote the fourth Fluxions of  $x$  and  $y$ ,  $\&c.$  also the Fluxion of  $a$  or  $b$  is 0.

3. Again,  $\acute{x}$  denotes the Moment or Increment of  $x$ , and  $\acute{y}$  the Moment or Increment of  $y$ ; likewise  $\acute{\acute{x}}$  and  $\acute{\acute{y}}$  denote the Moments of the Moments, or the second Moments of  $x$  and  $y$ ,  $\&c.$

4. To the common Algebraic Characters already receiv'd I add this  $\propto$ , which signifies a general Proportion; thus,  $A \propto \frac{BC}{D}$ , signifies that  $A$  is in a constant Ratio to  $\frac{BC}{D}$ ; that is (if  $a, b, c, d$  be other Values of these Quantities)  $A : \frac{BC}{D} :: a : \frac{bc}{d}$ ; and thus every general Proportion is to be understood.

## AXIOM.

Quantities, which in any finite Time continually converge to Equality, and *before* the End of that Time, approach *nearer* to one another than by any given Difference, do at last become equal.

If any should think this not clear enough to pass for an Axiom, he may consider it thus; let  $D$  be their ultimate Difference, therefore they cannot approach nearer to Equality, than by that given Difference  $D$ , contrary to the Hypothesis; which is absurd in all Cases except when  $D$  is nothing.

## S E C T.

S E C T. I.

The fundamental Principles and Operations of FLUXIONS.

PROP. I.

*The Fluxion of any Fluent or generated Quantity is equal to the Sum of the Fluxions of all the Roots or Sides, each multiply'd continually by the Index of its Power, and by the given Fluent divided by the said Root or Side.*

DEMONSTRATION.

1. **L**ET the Fluent be  $bx^m y^n$ ; now its Fluxion must be a Thing real and determinate in itself, otherwise we are seeking that which has no Existence. By the Notation,  $\dot{x}$  and  $\dot{y}$  are the Fluxions of  $x$  and  $y$ ; and will produce Effects, that is, will generate Moments proportional to themselves whilst they retain their Values, which may therefore be express'd by  $o\dot{x}$ ,  $o\dot{y}$ .

2. Now by the Postulatum, these Moments will increase the Quantities  $x$ ,  $y$ , which therefore will become  $x + o\dot{x}$ , and  $y + o\dot{y}$ .

3. Therefore the Fluent  $bx^m y^n$  will now become  $b(x + o\dot{x})^m (y + o\dot{y})^n = b x^m + m x^{m-1} o\dot{x} + p x^{m-2} o^2 \dot{x}^2, \text{ \&c. } x^n + n y^{n-1} o\dot{y} + q y^{n-2} o^2 \dot{y}^2, \text{ \&c. }$  where  $p$ ,  $q$  are given Quantities.

4. The last Quantity being actually multiply'd, and  $bx^m y^n$  subtracted from it; we shall have  $b m x^{m-1} y^n o\dot{x} + b n x^m y^{n-1} o\dot{y}$

$$+ bnx^m y^{n-1} \dot{o} \dot{y} + bpx^{m-1} y^n \dot{o} \dot{x}^2 + bq x^m y^{n-2} \dot{o} \dot{y}^2 + bmnx^{m-1} y^{n-1} \dot{o}^2 \dot{y} \dot{x} +, \&c. \text{ for the Moment of } bx^m y^n.$$

5. Therefore the Moment last found being divided by the indefinite Quantity  $o$ , will give the Fluxion of  $bx^m y^n$  equal to  $bmx^{m-1} y^n \dot{x} + bnx^m y^{n-1} \dot{y} + bpx^{m-1} y^n \dot{o} \dot{x}^2 + bq x^m y^{n-2} \dot{o} \dot{y}^2 + bmnx^{m-1} y^{n-1} \dot{o} \dot{y} \dot{x} +, \&c.$  and this is the Fluxion (or Velocity) where-with the foregoing Moment is (or may be) uniformly generated.

6. But since the (Velocity or) Fluxion is required wherewith that Moment first arises, in this Case the Moments  $\dot{o} \dot{x}$  and  $\dot{o} \dot{y}$  will also be just arising and therefore nothing, and consequently  $o$  will be nothing, and therefore all the Terms wherein it is found will be nothing.

7. Therefore the Fluxion of  $bx^m y^n$  at that Moment of Time is accurately  $bmx^{m-1} y^n \dot{x} + bnx^m y^{n-1} \dot{y}$ .  
Q. E. D.

Otherwise thus.

1. Let  $\dot{x}$  and  $\dot{y}$  be very small Increments uniformly generated by  $x$  and  $y$ , in a very small Time.

2. The Quantities  $x, y, bx^m y^n$  then at the End of that Time are become  $x + \dot{x}, y + \dot{y}$ , and  $\overline{bx^m y^n}^m \times y + \dot{y}^n$ ; and the Increments generated in that Time are  $\dot{x}, \dot{y}$  and  $bmx^{m-1} y^n \dot{x} + bnx^m y^{n-1} \dot{y} + bpx^{m-2} y^n \dot{x}^2 + bq x^m y^{n-2} \dot{y}^2 + bmnx^{m-1} y^{n-1} \dot{x} \dot{y} +, \&c. = M$  by Substitution, where note  $p, q$  are given Quantities.

3. Now since  $\dot{x} : \dot{y} :: \dot{x} : \dot{y} = \frac{\dot{y} \dot{x}}{\dot{x}}$ , because the Effects of like Causes are proportional; therefore expunge

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punge  $\dot{y}$  out of the Value of  $M$ , and we shall have the Increment of  $x$  to the Increment of  $b\dot{x}^m \dot{y}^n$  as  $\dot{x}$  to  $M$  or as 1 to  $\frac{M}{\dot{x}}$  that is, as  $\dot{x}$  to  $bmx^{m-1} \dot{y}^n +$

$$bnx^m \dot{y}^{n-1} \dot{y} + bpx^{m-1} \dot{y}^n \dot{x} + bmnx^{m-1} \dot{y}^{n-1} \dot{y} \dot{x} +$$

$bqx^m \dot{y}^{n-2} \dot{y}^2 +$ , &c. =  $P + Q\dot{x}$ , &c. by Substitution, (putting  $P$  for the two first Terms, and  $Q\dot{x}$ , &c. for the rest).

4. But  $\dot{x}$  is the Fluxion of  $x$ , therefore  $P + Q\dot{x}$  is the Fluxion of  $b\dot{x}^m \dot{y}^n$ . But since this last Fluxion  $P + Q\dot{x}$  is not that with which the Increment begins to be generated, which we seek: It is evident that by diminishing the Time, or which is the same thing, diminishing  $\dot{x}$ ,

the Fluxion  $P + Q\dot{x}$  continually converges to that Fluxion (or Velocity) wherewith the Increment first arises, and before  $\dot{x}$  be diminish'd to nothing, is nearer to it than by any given Difference; and therefore

by the Axiom when  $\dot{x}$  is nothing, and consequently  $Q\dot{x}$  nothing, then  $P$  or  $bmx^{m-1} \dot{y}^n \dot{x} + bnx^m \dot{y}^{n-1} \dot{y}$  will be the Fluxion of  $b\dot{x}^m \dot{y}^n$ . In like Manner it may be demonstrated for any other Quantity. Q. E. D.

COR. 1. A Fluent can have but one Fluxion: Thus the Fluxion of  $x$  can only be  $\dot{x}$ ; of  $ax^2$ ,  $2ax\dot{x}$ , &c.

COR. 2. When the Fluxion of any Quantity is the same with a proposed Fluxion, then that Quantity is its Fluent.

## SCHOLIUM.

As clear and evident as this Proposition is, yet it has been censur'd as false and erroneous; though the Persons that object against its Truth were never able to

to tell us what the Error is, nor whether the Fluxion of any Quantity is greater or lesser than is assign'd by this Proposition.

For a further Illustration, let us suppose that  $x$  and  $y$  are uniformly diminish'd by the very small Incre-

ments  $\dot{x}$  and  $\dot{y}$ . Then by reasoning as before, we shall get the Fluxion (or Velocity) of the contemporary

$$\text{Moment of } bx^m y^n = bmx^{m-1} y^n \dot{x} + bnx^m y^{n-1} \dot{y} - bpx^{m-1} y^n \dot{x}\dot{x} - bmnx^{m-1} y^{n-1} \dot{x}\dot{y} - \frac{bqx^m y^{n-2} \dot{x}^2 \dot{y}^2}{\dot{x}^2}$$

$\mathcal{E}c. = P - Q\dot{x}$ ,  $\mathcal{E}c.$  Now by continually diminish-

ing  $\dot{x}$ , it is manifest that  $P - Q\dot{x}$ ,  $\mathcal{E}c.$  will differ from the Fluxion the Moment first arises with, by a Quantity less than any assignable, before  $\dot{x}$  be reduced to nothing.

Now when we see that whilst  $x + \dot{x}$  converges to  $x$ , that at the same time  $P + Q\dot{x}$ ,  $\mathcal{E}c.$  converges to that Fluxion the Moment arises with, and differs in *Excess* from it by less than any given Difference, and still dif-

fers the less, the less  $\dot{x}$  is taken; and when  $\dot{x}$  is infinitely small, that Difference is infinitely small in *Ex-*

*cess*: And seeing also that whilst  $x - \dot{x}$  converges to-

wards  $x$ , likewise  $P - Q\dot{x}$ ,  $\mathcal{E}c.$  approaches to the Fluxion the Moment vanishes with, (or the succeeding Moment begins with, being the same the other converg'd to) and differs in *Defect* from it, by less than

any given Difference, and still differs the less as  $\dot{x}$  is

less, and when  $\dot{x}$  is infinitely diminish'd, that Difference is infinitely small in *Defect*. If any one after

all this should contend, that when  $\dot{x}$  is quite vanish'd  
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and become nothing, that the Fluxion of  $bx^my^n$  is not accurately P or  $bmx^{m-1}y^n\dot{x} + bnx^my^{n-1}\dot{y}$ ; I think no Man ought to give himself any Concern at all for such an Adversary, or take any further Pains for his Conviction.

## PROP. II.

*If two Fluents or variable Quantities be equal to each other, or in a given Ratio; their Fluxions will be equal, or in the same given Ratio.*

*And if two fluxionary Quantities are equal or in a given Ratio; their contemporary Fluents will be equal or in the same given Ratio.*

For since the Quantities always continue equal, or in a given Ratio; the continually arising Increments, and therefore the Fluxions proportional thereto, will necessarily be equal or in the same given Ratio. And *vice versâ*, the Fluxions or generating Causes being always equal or in a given Ratio; their Effects or contemporary Fluents will therefore be equal, or in the same given Ratio. Q. E. D.

COR. 1. Two fluxionary Quantities may be equal, and their simple Fluents unequal. For (by this Prop.) only the contemporary Fluents can be equal. And therefore

COR. 2. A Fluxion may have an infinite Number of Fluents: thus the Fluent of  $\dot{x}$  is  $x$ ,  $a + x$ ,  $b + x$ ,  $c + x$ ,  $x - a$ ,  $x - b$ ,  $x - c$ , &c.

COR. 3. If any Fluxion be equal (or nearly equal) to some other Fluxion, in some particular Case: then the one may be substituted for the other in any fluxionary Equation, and their Fluents will be equal in that particular Case, (or nearly so.)

COR. 4. If there be any Relation whatsoever between the Moments of several Quantities in their nascent or evanescent State; the same Relation there is also between the Fluxions of these Quantities.

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COR. 5. And therefore in any Equation between the Moments consider'd as arising, the Fluxions may be substituted in their Room : and the contrary.

### PROP. III.

*Given an Equation containing the Relation of the flowing Quantities ; to determine the Relation of their Fluxions.*

### SOLUTION.

1. If any Term contains only one variable Quantity ; multiply its Index, the Fluxion of the Root, its Power whose Index is less'n'd by 1, and the Coefficient of the Term continually, for the Fluxion of that Term.

2. If any Term involves several flowing Quantities ; multiply separately the Fluxion of every variable Quantity (or its Power) by all the other Quantities in the Term ; the Sum of all these Products is the Fluxion of that Term.

3. Repeat the same Operation for all the Terms in the Equation ; and the Sum of all gives an Equation containing the Fluxions required.

4. In exponential Equations, or those whose Exponents are variable ; let  $X, Y, Z, \&c.$  be the hyperbolic Logarithms of  $x, y, z, \&c.$  then multiply the Index of any Quantity into the Logarithm of that Quantity, and you'll have a logarithmic Equation, whose Fluxion is to be found by the foregoing Rules. Then expunge the logarithmic Fluxions  $\dot{X}, \dot{Y},$  or  $\dot{Z},$

by substituting their Equals  $\frac{\dot{x}}{x}, \frac{\dot{y}}{y},$  or  $\frac{\dot{z}}{z}$  ; the Reason of which will appear hereafter by Prob. II. Sect. II.

5. Sometimes it may be convenient to divide the Equation given, by some of the indetermin'd Quantities contain'd in most of the Terms ; or to substitute single Letters for compound Quantities.

EXAMPLE I.

Let  $y = a + x - z - b - dx$ ; then the Fluxion is  $\dot{y} = \dot{x} - \dot{z} - \dot{d}x$ .

Ex. 2.

Let  $x = ay^3$ ; then the Fluxion of this Equation is  $\dot{x} = 3ay^2\dot{y}$ .

Ex. 3.

Let  $y = ax^2$ , the Fluxion is  $\dot{y} = 2ax\dot{x}$ . Or in particular Numbers, let  $a = 10$ ,  $\dot{x} = 1$ , then  $\dot{y} = 20x$ . Now if  $x = 1$ , then  $\dot{y} = 20$ . If  $x = 2, 3, 4, \&c$ . then  $\dot{y} = 40, 60, 80, \&c$ .

Ex. 4.

Let  $z = 120bx^n$ , the Fluxion is  $\dot{z} = 120nbx^{n-1}\dot{x}$ .

Ex. 5.

Let  $\sqrt{aa - xx} = y$ , that is  $\overline{aa - xx}^{\frac{1}{2}} = y$ ; its Fluxion is  $\frac{1}{2}x - 2xx\dot{x}\overline{aa - xx}^{-\frac{1}{2}} = \dot{y}$ , or  $\frac{-xx\dot{x}}{\sqrt{aa - xx}} = \dot{y}$ . In Numbers thus, let  $a = 10$ ,  $\dot{x} = 1$ , then  $\dot{y} = \frac{-x}{\sqrt{100 - xx}}$ , and if  $x = 0$ , then  $\dot{y} = \frac{-0}{10} = 0$ . If  $x = 3$ ,  $\dot{y} = \frac{-3}{\sqrt{91}}$ . If  $x = 6$ , then  $\dot{y} = \frac{-3}{4}$ . If  $x = 10$ ,  $\dot{y} = \frac{-10}{0} = -\text{infinity}$ ; and so of others.

Ex. 6.

Let  $v = bx^3y^2$ , the Fluxion is  $\dot{v} = 3by^2x^2\dot{x} + 2bx^3y\dot{y}$ .

Ex. 7.

Let  $\frac{x}{y} = v$ , that is  $x^1y^{-1} = v$ ; the Fluxion is  $y^{-1}\dot{x} - 1 \times x^1y^{-2}\dot{y} = \dot{v}$ , or  $\frac{\dot{x}}{y} - \frac{x\dot{y}}{y^2} = \dot{v}$ , that is  $\frac{y\dot{x} - x\dot{y}}{yy} = \dot{v}$ .

Ex. 8.

Let  $x^3 - ax^2 + axy - y^3 = 0$ . Its Fluxion will be  $3x^2\dot{x} - 2ax\dot{x} + a\dot{x}y + ay\dot{x} - 3y^2\dot{y} = 0$ .

Ex. 9.

Let this Equation be given  $y^2 - a^2 = x\sqrt{aa - xx}$ ;  
its Fluxion is  $2y\dot{y} = x\sqrt{aa - xx} - \frac{x^2\dot{x}}{\sqrt{aa - xx}}$ , or  $2y\dot{y} = \frac{aax - 2x^2\dot{x}}{\sqrt{aa - xx}}$ .

Ex. 10.

Let  $2y^3 + x^2y - 2cyz = z^3 - 3yz^2$  be given; then its Fluxion is  $6y^2\dot{y} + 2yx\dot{x} + x^2\dot{y} - 2c\dot{y}z - 2cy\dot{z} = 3z^2\dot{z} - 3z^2\dot{y} - 6yz\dot{z}$ .

Or thus, divide the given Equation by  $y$ , and you'll have  $2y^2 + x^2 - 2cz = \frac{z^3}{y} - 3z^2$ , whose Fluxion is  $4y\dot{y} + 2x\dot{x} - 2c\dot{z} = \frac{3z^2\dot{z}}{y} - \frac{z^3\dot{y}}{y^2} - 6z\dot{z}$ ; or  $4y^3\dot{y} + 2xy^2\dot{x} - 2cy^2\dot{z} = 3yz^2\dot{z} - z^3\dot{y} - 6y^2z\dot{z}$ .

Ex. 11.

$x^3 - ay^3 + \frac{by^3}{a+y} - xx\sqrt{ay+xx} = 0$ , the Fluxion is  $3x^2\dot{x} - 2ay\dot{y} + \frac{3by^2\dot{y}}{a+y} - \frac{by^3\dot{y}}{(a+y)^2} - 2xx\sqrt{ay+xx} - \frac{ax^2\dot{y} - 2x^3\dot{x}}{2\sqrt{ay+xx}} = 0$ . Or  $3x^2\dot{x} - 2ay\dot{y} + \frac{3aby^2\dot{y} + 2by^3\dot{y}}{(a+y)^2} - \frac{4ayxx + 6x^3\dot{x} + ax^2\dot{y}}{2\sqrt{ay+xx}} = 0$ .

Ex. 12.

Let  $\sqrt{ax} + \sqrt{aa - xx} = v$ , then will  $ax + \sqrt{ax - xx} = vv$ , whose Fluxion is  $a\dot{x} - \frac{xx\dot{x}}{\sqrt{aa - xx}} = 2v\dot{v}$ .

$$2v\dot{v}, \text{ whence } \dot{v} = \frac{\dot{ax}}{2v} - \frac{\dot{xx}}{2v\sqrt{aa - xx}}, \text{ or } \dot{v} =$$

$$\frac{\dot{ax} - \frac{\dot{xx}}{\sqrt{aa - xx}}}{2\sqrt{ax} + \sqrt{aa - xx}}$$

Ex. 13.

Let  $zy - ax = 0$ ; its Fluxion will be  $\dot{zy} + \dot{zy} - \dot{ax} = 0$ . Or thus, let  $s = \dot{y}$ ,  $t = \dot{x}$ , then  $s = \dot{y}$ , and  $t = \dot{x}$ ; and the Equation  $zy - ax = zs - at = 0$ ; whose Fluxion  $\dot{zs} + \dot{sz} - \dot{at} = 0$ , that is (restoring the Values of  $s$ ,  $\dot{s}$ ,  $t$ )  $\dot{zy} + \dot{yz} - \dot{ax} = 0$ , the same as before.

Ex. 14.

Suppose  $2xx\dot{z} = a\ddot{y}\dot{y}$ , and let  $\dot{x}$  be a given or constant Quantity, then its Fluxion is  $2\dot{x}^2\dot{z} + 2xx\ddot{z} = a\ddot{y}\dot{y} + a\ddot{y}\dot{y}$ .

Or thus, let  $\dot{x} = b$ ,  $\dot{z} = t$ ,  $\dot{y} = v$ ; then the given Equation becomes  $2bxt = ayv$ , whose Fluxion is  $2b\dot{x}t + 2bxt = a\dot{y}v + ay\dot{v}$ . And restoring  $\dot{z}$ ,  $\ddot{z}$ ,  $\dot{x}$ ,  $\ddot{y}$ ,  $\dot{y}$  for  $t$ ,  $\dot{t}$ ,  $b$ ,  $v$ ,  $\dot{v}$ ; you'll have  $2\dot{z}\dot{x}^2 + 2xx\ddot{z} = a\ddot{y}\dot{y} + a\ddot{y}\dot{y}$ , the Fluxion required.

Ex. 15.

Let  $\frac{a\dot{z}\dot{x}}{\dot{x}^2} + \frac{\dot{y}\dot{y}}{a} - \dot{y} = 0$ , and suppose  $\dot{y}$  constant; then its Fluxion is  $\frac{a\dot{z}\ddot{x}}{\dot{x}^2} + \frac{a\ddot{z}\dot{x}}{\dot{x}^2} - \frac{2a\dot{z}\dot{x}^2}{\dot{x}^3} + \frac{\dot{y}^2}{a} = 0$ .

Ex. 16.

Suppose  $2a^3y\ddot{y} - x^2\dot{z}^2 - x^2\dot{z}\ddot{z} = a^2\dot{y}^2 - \frac{a^3\dot{y}^2\dot{y}}{\dot{z}^2}$ , and  $\dot{z}$  invariable, its Fluxion will be  $2a^3\dot{y}\ddot{y} + 2a^3\dot{y}\dot{y} - \frac{2a^3\dot{y}^2\dot{y}}{2xx\dot{z}^2}$

$$2\dot{x}\dot{x}\dot{z}^2 - 2\dot{x}\dot{x}^2\dot{z} - x^2\dot{z}\ddot{x} = 2a^2\dot{y}\ddot{y} - \frac{2a^3\dot{y}\ddot{y}^2}{\dot{z}^2} - \frac{a^3\dot{y}^3\ddot{y}}{\dot{z}^2}$$

Ex. 17.

Let  $Y^3 = x$ , where  $Y$  is the hyperbolic Log. of  $y$ ; then its Fluxion is  $3Y^2\dot{Y} = \dot{x}$ ; but  $\dot{Y} = \frac{\dot{y}}{y}$ , therefore

$$\dot{x} = \frac{3Y^2\dot{y}}{y}.$$

Ex. 18.

Suppose  $y^x = z$ , then will  $xY = Z$  (where  $Z$ ,  $Y$  are the hyp. Log. of  $z$ ,  $y$ ) the Fluxion of this Equation is  $x\dot{Y} + Y\dot{x} = \dot{Z}$ ; but  $\dot{Y} = \frac{\dot{y}}{y}$ , and  $\dot{Z} = \frac{\dot{z}}{z}$ ; whence  $\frac{x\dot{y}}{y} + Y\dot{x} = \frac{\dot{z}}{z}$ ; therefore  $\dot{z} = \left(\frac{xz\dot{y}}{y} + Yz\dot{x}\right) = x y^{x-1}\dot{y} + Y y^x \dot{x}$ .

Ex. 19.

Let  $y^{x^v} = z$ ; then  $x^v Y = Z$ , in Fluxions  $x^v \dot{Y} + Y \times \text{Fluxion of } x^v = \dot{Z}$ ; but (by Ex. 18.) Fluxion of  $x^v = v x^{v-1} \dot{x} + X x^v \dot{v}$ ; and  $\dot{Y} = \frac{\dot{y}}{y}$ , also  $\dot{Z} = \frac{\dot{z}}{z}$ ; therefore  $\frac{x^v \dot{y}}{y} + Y v x^{v-1} \dot{x} + Y X x^v \dot{v} = \frac{\dot{z}}{z} = \frac{\dot{z}}{y^{x^v}}$ .

Whence  $\dot{z} = x^v y^{x^v-1} \dot{y} + v Y y^{x^v} x^{v-1} \dot{x} + x^v Y X y^{x^v} \dot{v}$ .

## PROP. IV.

Let the Fluent of  $\frac{e + fz^n}{z^p} z^p \dot{z} = A$ .

Fluent of  $\frac{e + fz^n}{z^p} z^{p+n} \dot{z} = B$ .

Fluent of  $\frac{e + fz^n}{z^p} z^{p+m+1} \dot{z} = P$ .

Then I say,

$$\text{I. } \frac{p+1}{p} P + \frac{m+1}{m} n f B = z^{p+1} \frac{e + fz^n}{z^p} z^{m+1} \dot{z}$$

$$\text{II. } P = eA + fB.$$

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For I.  $\overline{p+1.P+m+1.nf\dot{B}} = \overline{p+1.z^p\dot{z}.e+fz^n^{m+1}} + \overline{m+1.nfz^{p+n}\dot{z}.e+fz^n^m}$

whose Fluent, by Cor. 2. Prop. I. is

$$\overline{p+1.P+m+1.nfB} = \overline{z^{p+1}e+fz^n^{m+1}}.$$

II.  $\overline{e+fz^n^{m+1}} z^p\dot{z} = \overline{e+fz^n} \times \overline{e+fz^n^m} z^p\dot{z} = \overline{ez^p\dot{z}.e+fz^n^m+fz^{p+n}\dot{z}.e+fz^n^m}$ . That is  $\dot{P} = e\dot{A} + f\dot{B}$ , and the Fluent is  $P = eA + fB$ .

Q. E. D.

COR. I. Hence if any one of the Fluents A, B, P, be given, the other two will be found. Therefore,

COR. 2.  $B = \frac{z^{p+1} \cdot \overline{e+fz^n^{m+1}} - \overline{p+1} \cdot eA}{p+1+mn+n \cdot f}$ .

COR. 3.  $A = \frac{z^{p+1} \overline{e+fz^n^{m+1}} - \overline{p+1+mn+n} \cdot fB}{p+1 \cdot e}$ .

COR. 4.  $P = \frac{\overline{m+1} \cdot neA + z^{p+1} \overline{e+fz^n^{m+1}}}{p+1+mn+n}$ .

COR. 5.  $A = \frac{\overline{p+1+mn+n} \cdot P - z^{p+1} \overline{e+fz^n^{m+1}}}{m+1 \cdot ne}$ .

PROP. V.

Let  $e+fz^n+gz^{2n}+bz^{3n}$  &c. = V . t = Number of Terms in V.

And the Fluent of  $V^m z^p \dot{z} = A$ .

Fluent of  $V^m z^{p+n} \dot{z} = B$ .

Fluent of  $V^m z^{p+2n} \dot{z} = C$ .

Fluent of  $V^m z^{p+3n} \dot{z} = D$ . &c. continu'd to

t Quantities.

And Fluent of  $V^{m+1} z^p \dot{z} = P$ . Then will,

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{I. } \overline{p+1 \cdot eA + \overline{p+1+mn+n} \cdot fB +} \\ \overline{p+1+2mn+2n \cdot gC + \overline{p+1+3mn+3n} \cdot bD} \\ +, \text{ \&c. continu'd to } t \text{ Terms} \end{array} \right\} = z^{p+1} V^{m+1}.$$

II. P

II.  $P = eA + fB + gC + hD + \&c.$  to  $t$  Terms.

DEMONSTRATION.

Let  $p + 1 = r$ ,  $m + 1 = s$ . And putting the first Equation into Fluxions, there is  $re\dot{A} + r + sn \cdot f\dot{B} + r + 2sn \cdot g\dot{C} + r + 3sn \cdot h\dot{D}$ ,  $\&c. = rz^p\dot{z}V^{m+1} + sz^{p+1}V^m\dot{V}$ ; that is (restoring the Values of  $V$ ,  $\dot{V}$ ,  $\dot{A}$ ,  $\dot{B}$ ,  $\&c.$  and dividing by  $z^pV^m\dot{z}$ )  $re + r + sn \cdot fz^n + r + 2sn \cdot gz^{2n} + r + 3sn \cdot hz^{3n} \&c. = rx^e + fz^n + gz^{2n} + hz^{3n} \&c. + sz \times nfx^{n-1} + 2ngz^{2n-1} + 3nhbz^{3n-1} \&c.$  where both Sides of the Equation being manifestly equal, 'tis evident the Quantities from whence they were derived, that is, the Fluents in Equation the 1st, must also be equal. After the same Manner is the second Equation very easily demonstrated. Q. E. D.

COR. Hence if  $t - 1$  of the Fluents  $P$ ,  $A$ ,  $B$ ,  $C$ ,  $\&c.$  be given; the rest will be found.

PROP. VI.

Put  $e + fz^n = V$ ,  $k + lz^n = Y$ , and  
the Fluent of  $z^p\dot{z}V^mY^q = A$ .

Fluent of  $z^{p+n}\dot{z}V^mY^q = B$ .

Fluent of  $z^{p+2n}\dot{z}V^mY^q = C$ .

Also Fluent of  $z^p\dot{z}V^{m+1}Y^q = P$ .

Fluent of  $z^{p+n}\dot{z}V^{m+1}Y^q = Q$ .

Then it will be

I.  $p + 1 \cdot ekA$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} + p + 1 + mn + n \cdot fk \\ + p + 1 + qn + n \cdot el \\ + p + 1 + mn + qn + 2n \cdot flC \end{array} \right\} B = z^{p+1}V^{m+1}Y^{q+1}$$

II.  $P = eA + fB$ .

III.  $Q = eB + fC$ .

DEMONSTRATION.

Let  $p + 1 = r$ ,  $m + 1 = s$ ,  $q + 1 = t$ , and putting the first Equation into Fluxions, we have



$$\left. \begin{array}{l} rek\dot{A} + \frac{r + sn \cdot fk}{r + tn \cdot el} \end{array} \right\} \dot{B} + \frac{r + sn + tn \cdot fl}{r + tn \cdot el} \dot{C} =$$

$$rz^p \dot{z} V^{m+1} Y^{q+1} + sz^{p+1} Y^{q+1} V^m \dot{V} + tz^{p+1} V^{m+1} Y^q \dot{Y}.$$

Then restoring the Values of  $\dot{A}$ ,  $\dot{B}$ ,  $\dot{C}$ ,  $\dot{V}$ ,  $\dot{Y}$ , and dividing by  $z^p V^m Y^q$ , and then expunging  $V$ ,  $Y$ ;

$$\text{we have } rek + \frac{r + sn \cdot fk}{r + tn \cdot el} \left\{ z^n + \frac{r + sn + tn \cdot fl}{r + tn \cdot el} z^n \right.$$

$$= r \cdot e + fz^n \times k + lz^n + snfz^n \times k + lz^n + tnlz^n \times$$

$e + fz^n$ , an Equation whose two Sides (when reduced) being manifestly the same, argues the Equation from whence it was deduced to be a true Equation. And the same may be easily shown of the other two Equations.

Q. E. D.

COR. Hence if any 2 of the Fluents  $A$ ,  $B$ ,  $C$ ,  $P$ ,  $Q$  be given; the rest may be found.

### PROP. VII.

$$\text{Let } e + fz^n + gz^{2n} + bz^{3n} \text{ \&c.} = V.$$

$$k + lz^n + rz^{2n} + sz^{3n} \text{ \&c.} = Y.$$

$t$  = Number of Terms in  $V$ ,  $\tau$  = Number of Terms in  $Y$ .

$$\text{And the Fluent of } z^p \dot{z} V^m Y^q = A.$$

$$\text{Fluent of } z^{p+1} \dot{z} V^m Y^q = B.$$

$$\text{Fluent of } z^{p+2} \dot{z} V^m Y^q = C.$$

$$\text{Fluent of } z^{p+3} \dot{z} V^m Y^q = D. \text{ \&c. continu'd}$$

to  $t + \tau - 1$  Quantities.

$$\text{Also Fluent of } z^p \dot{z} V^{m+1} Y^q = P.$$

$$\text{Fluent of } z^{p+1} \dot{z} V^{m+1} Y^q = Q.$$

$$\text{Fluent of } z^{p+2} \dot{z} V^{m+1} Y^q = R. \text{ \&c. continu'd to } \tau \text{ Quantities.}$$

Then I say,

$$I. \frac{p+1 \cdot ckA + \frac{p+1+qn+n \cdot el}{p+1+mn+n \cdot fk} B}{D}$$

+

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} +\overline{p+1+2qn+2n.er} \\ +\overline{p+1+mn+qn+2n.fl} \\ +\overline{p+1+2mn+2n.gk} \end{array} \right\} C \left. \begin{array}{l} +\overline{p+1+3qn+3n.es} \\ +\overline{p+1+mn+2qn+3n.fr} \\ +\overline{p+1+2mn+qn+3n.gl} \\ +\overline{p+1+3mn+3n.bk} \end{array} \right\} D$$

+ & c. ( continu'd to  $t + \tau - 1$  Terms ) =  
 $z^{p+1}V^{m+1}Y^{q+1}$ .

II.  $P = eA + fB + gC + bD$  & c. to  $t$  Terms.

III.  $Q = eB + fC + gD + bE$  & c.

IV.  $R = eC + fD + gE + bF$  & c.

V.  $S = eD + fE + gF + bG$  & c.

& c. continued to  $\tau$  Equations.

This is demonstrated like the foregoing.

COR. Hence if  $t + \tau - 2$  of the Fluents  $P, Q, R, A, B, C$ , & c. are given, the rest will be found.

### PROP. VIII.

Let  $V = e + fz^n$ .  $Y = k + lz^n$ .  $X = s + tz^n$ .

And the Fluent of  $z^p z^m Y^q X^r = A$ .

Fluent of  $z^{p+r} z^m Y^q X^r = B$ .

Fluent of  $z^{p+2m} z^m Y^q X^r = C$ .

Fluent of  $z^{p+3m} z^m Y^q X^r = D$ .

Also Fluent of  $z^{p+r} z^m Y^{q+1} X^r = P$ .

Fluent of  $z^{p+r} z^m Y^{q+1} X^r = Q$ .

Fluent of  $z^{p+2m} z^m Y^{q+1} X^r = R$ .

Then it will be

$$I. \overline{p+1} . eksA \left. \begin{array}{l} +\overline{p+1+mn+n} . fks \\ +\overline{p+1+qn+n} . els \\ +\overline{p+1+rn+n} . ekt \end{array} \right\} B$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} +\overline{p+1+mn+qn+2n.fls} \\ +\overline{p+1+mn+rn+2n.fkt} \\ +\overline{p+1+qn+rn+2n.elt} \end{array} \right\} C + \overline{p+1+mn+qn+rn+3n} \\ \times fltD = z^{p+1}V^{m+1}Y^{q+1}X^{r+1}.$$

II.  $P = eA + fB$ .

III.  $Q = eB + fC$ .

IV.  $R = eC + fD$ .

The Truth of this is shewn as the rest.

COR. Hence if (any) three of the Fluents A, B, C, D, P, Q, R be given, all the rest will be found.

## SCHOLIUM.

In the five last Propositions it must be observed that any of the Fluents A, B, C; P, Q, R, &c. vanishes out of the Equation when its Coefficient is 0: And therefore in such a Case that Fluent cannot be found by any of these Propositions.

If any one should ask, how these Propositions are found out? The Answer is, by the common Analysis. For taking any Equation in these Propositions, or assuming any Equation among the Fluents A, B, C, P, Q, R, at pleasure, and affecting them with unknown Coefficients; then putting that Equation into Fluxions, (substituting the Values of  $\dot{A}$ ,  $\dot{B}$ ,  $\dot{P}$ , &c.) and then comparing the homologous Terms, these Coefficients will easily be determin'd, if the Thing is possible. And thus you may find out other Propositions of this Kind.

## PROP. IX.

*To transform a given Fluxion into another more simple one.*

## RULE.

1. For any compound Quantity in the given Fluxion put a new Letter or variable Quantity, by help of which expunge the other variable Quantity and its Fluxion out of the given fluxionary Quantity; so will you have a new Fluxion instead of the former. If this be not simple enough, assume another variable Quantity instead of any compound Quantity contain'd in this last, and expunge the former assum'd Quantity and its Fluxion. Proceed thus till the transform'd Fluxion be as simple as possible.
2. Sometimes a compound Fluxion may be dissolved into several other simpler ones, thus; assume two or

more such fluxionary Quantities, as you conceive will, when duly reduc'd, make up the given Fluxion, and let them be affected with indetermin'd Coefficients; then reducing them to the Form of the given Fluxion, these Coefficients will be easily determin'd by comparing the homologous Terms.

Ex. 1.

Let  $\overline{e + fz^n} \times \overline{g + bz^n} z^{rn-1} \dot{z}$  be proposed. Assume  $v = e + fz^n$ , then  $z^n = \frac{v-e}{f}$ , and  $z^{rn} = \frac{\overline{v-e}^r}{f^r}$ , and  $z^{rn-1} \dot{z} = \frac{\overline{v-e}^{r-1} \dot{v}}{nf^r}$ , and  $g + bz^n = \frac{fg - be + bv}{f} = \frac{p + bv}{f}$ , putting  $p = fg - eb$ . Therefore the given Fluxion  $\overline{e + fz^n} \times \overline{g + bz^n} z^{rn-1} \dot{z} = \frac{\overline{v-e}^{r-1}}{nf^{r+1}} \times \overline{p + bv} v^{rn} \dot{v}$ .

Ex. 2.

There is given  $\frac{z^{rn-1} \dot{z}}{\overline{k + lz^n} \cdot \overline{e + fz^n + gz^{2n}}}$ ; assume  $v = k + lz^n$ , then  $z^n = \frac{v-k}{l}$ , and  $z^{rn} = \frac{\overline{v-k}^r}{l^r}$ ,  $z^{rn-1} \dot{z} = \frac{\overline{v-k}^{r-1} \dot{v}}{nl^r}$ ; put  $p = \sqrt{ff - 4eg}$ , and then  $\frac{1}{e + fz^n + gz^{2n}} = \frac{g}{p \cdot \frac{f-p}{2} + gz^n} - \frac{g}{p \cdot \frac{f+p}{2} + gz^n}$  as will be evident by reducing the two Terms to a common Denominator. Therefore, putting  $a = \frac{f-p}{2}l - gk$ , and  $b = \frac{f+p}{2}l - gk$ , the given Fluxion becomes  $\frac{g}{p} \times \frac{\overline{v-k}^{r-1} v^{rn} \dot{v}}{nl^{r-1} \cdot a + gv} - \frac{\overline{v-k}^{r-1} g v^{rn} \dot{v}}{nl^{r-1} \cdot b + gv}$

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Ex. 3.

Let  $\frac{e + fz^n z^{\lambda-1} \dot{z}}{g + bz^{m+r}} = \dot{F}$  be given. Put  $v = g +$

$bz^n$ . Then  $z^n = \frac{v - g}{b}$ , and  $e + fz^n = \frac{fv - p}{b}$  (put-  
ting  $p = fg - eb$ ) and  $z^{\lambda-1} \dot{z} = \frac{v - g^{\lambda-1} \dot{v}}{nb^{\lambda}}$ ; whence

$$\dot{F} = \frac{fv - p \times v - g^{\lambda-1} v^{-m-r} \dot{v}}{nb^{\lambda+m}} = \frac{1 - gv^{-1} \dot{v}}{nb^{m+\lambda}} \times$$

$$f - pv^{-1} v^{\lambda-r-1} \dot{v}.$$

Again, let  $f - pv^{-1} = y$ ; then  $v^{\lambda-r-1} \dot{v} =$   
 $\frac{f - y}{p^{r-\lambda}} \dot{y}$ , and  $1 - gv^{-1} = \frac{gy - eb}{p}$ ; whence  $\dot{F}$   
 $= \frac{gy - eb^{\lambda-1}}{nb^{m+\lambda} p^{r-1}} \times f - y^{r-\lambda-1} y^m \dot{y}.$

Otherwise.

Since  $\frac{1 - gv^{-1} \dot{v}}{nb^{m+\lambda}} \times f - pv^{-1} v^{\lambda-r-1} \dot{v}$  is (by first  
multiplying and then dividing, by  $1 - gv^{-1}$ ) =  
 $\frac{1 - gv^{-1} \dot{v}}{nb^{m+\lambda}} \times f - pv^{-1} v^{\lambda-r-1} \dot{v} + \frac{g \cdot 1 - gv^{-1} \dot{v}}{nb^{m+\lambda}}$   
 $\times f - pv^{-1} v^{\lambda-r-2} \dot{v}$ ; therefore expunging  $v$  and it  
becomes  $\dot{F} = \frac{gy - eb^{\lambda}}{nb^{m+\lambda} p^r} \times f - y^{r-\lambda-1} y^m \dot{y} + \frac{g \cdot gy - eb^{\lambda-1}}{nb^{m+\lambda} p^r}$   
 $\times f - y^{r-\lambda} y^m \dot{y}$ , and  $y = f - pv^{-1} = \frac{e + fz^n}{g + bz^n b}.$

Ex. 4.

Suppose  $e + fz^n + gz^{2n} z^{m-1} \dot{z} = \dot{F}$ , put  $e + fz^n$   
 $+ gz^{2n} = v$ ,  $p = \frac{1}{2}ff - eg$ , then  $z^n = \frac{-\frac{1}{2}f + \sqrt{p + gv}}{g}$ ,  
and

$$\text{and } z^{n-1}\dot{z} = \frac{-\frac{1}{2}f + \sqrt{p+gv}}{g^r} \times \frac{g\dot{v}}{2n\sqrt{p+gv}}$$

$$\text{therefore } \dot{v} = \frac{-\frac{1}{2}f + \sqrt{p+gv}}{2ng^{r-1}} \times \frac{v^m\dot{v}}{\sqrt{p+gv}}. \text{ If this}$$

be not thought simple enough, suppose again  $x = \sqrt{p+gv}$ , then  $v = \frac{xx-p}{g}$ , and  $v^{m+1} = \frac{xx-p}{g^{m+1}}$

$$\text{and } v^m\dot{v} = \frac{xx-p}{g^{m+1}} \times 2x\dot{x} : \text{ therefore } \dot{v} = \frac{x-\frac{1}{2}f}{ng^{m+1}}$$

$$\times \frac{x^2-p}{x}. \text{ Here } x = \sqrt{p+gv} = \frac{1}{2}f + gz^n.$$

Ex. 5.

To transform the Fluxion  $\frac{z^{\lambda n-1}\dot{z}}{e+fz^n+gz^{2n}}$ , assume

$$\frac{gz^{\lambda n-1}\dot{z}}{ge+gfz^n+ggz^{2n}} = \frac{Az^{\lambda n-1}\dot{z}}{B+gz^n} + \frac{Cz^{\lambda n-1}\dot{z}}{D+gz^n} = (\text{by re-}$$

ducing to a common Denominator)

$$\frac{+AD}{+BC} \frac{z^{\lambda n-1}\dot{z}}{z^{\lambda n-1}\dot{z}} + \frac{+Ag}{+Cg} \frac{z^{\lambda n+n-1}\dot{z}}{z^{\lambda n+n-1}\dot{z}};$$

then comparing the homologous Terms,  $Ag+Cg=0$ ,  $AD+BC=g$ ,  $BD=Bg+Dg=fg$ ; whence is had  $C=-A$ ,  $D+B=f$

$$D-B=\sqrt{ff-4eg}=p: \text{ and thence } A=\frac{f-p}{2}$$

$$B=\frac{f+p}{2}, C=\frac{-g}{p}, D=\frac{f+p}{2}. \text{ And therefore}$$

$$\frac{z^{\lambda n-1}\dot{z}}{e+fz^n+gz^{2n}} = \frac{g}{p} \times \frac{z^{\lambda n-1}\dot{z}}{\frac{f-p}{2}+gz^n} - \frac{g}{p} \times \frac{z^{\lambda n-1}\dot{z}}{\frac{f+p}{2}+gz^n}.$$

Ex. 6.

Let  $\frac{z^{\lambda n-1}\dot{z}}{e+fz^n+gz^{2n}}$  be given, where  $\lambda$  is half an odd Number, and  $4eg$  greater than  $ff$ .

Assume

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{Assume } \frac{gz^{\lambda n-1} \dot{z}}{eg + fz^n + ggz^{2n}} = \frac{Az^{\lambda n-\frac{1}{2}n-1} \dot{z}}{C - Dz^{\frac{1}{2}n} + gz^n} \\ \frac{Bz^{\lambda n-\frac{1}{2}n-1} \dot{z}}{C + Dz^{\frac{1}{2}n} + gz^n} = (\text{by Reduction}) \\ \frac{+ACz^{\lambda n-\frac{1}{2}n-1} \dot{z} + ADz^{\lambda n-1} \dot{z} + Agz^{\lambda n+\frac{1}{2}n-1} \dot{z}}{-BC + BD - Bg} \\ \frac{CC + 2Cg - DDz^n + ggz^{2n}}{-DDz^n + ggz^{2n}}. \text{ Now} \end{array}$$

comparing the homologous Terms, we have  $AC - BC = 0 = Ag - Bg$ ,  $AD + BD = g$ ,  $CC = eg$ ,  $5Cg - DD = fg$ . From whence we have  $C = \sqrt{eg}$ ,  $D = \sqrt{2g\sqrt{eg} - fg}$ ,  $A = \frac{g}{2D} = B$ . Whence

$$\begin{array}{l} \frac{z^{\lambda n-1} \dot{z}}{e + fz^n + gz^{2n}} = \frac{g}{2D} \times \frac{z^{\lambda n-\frac{1}{2}n-1} \dot{z}}{\sqrt{eg} - Dz^{\frac{1}{2}n} + gz^n} - \frac{g}{2D} \\ \times \frac{\sqrt{eg + Dz^{\frac{1}{2}n} + gz^n}}{z^{\lambda n-\frac{1}{2}n-1} \dot{z}}: \text{ both which Terms may be} \\ \text{transform'd into others still more simple, after the} \\ \text{Manner of the fourth Example.} \end{array}$$

Ex. 7.

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{Let } \frac{z^{\lambda n-1} \dot{z}}{k + lz^n.e + fz^n + ggz^{2n}} \text{ be proposed, where } \lambda \\ \text{is half an odd Number, and } 4eg \text{ greater than } ff. \text{ Af-} \\ \text{sume for it } \frac{Az^{\lambda n-n-1} \dot{z} + Bz^{\lambda n-1} \dot{z}}{e + fz^n + ggz^{2n}} + \frac{Dz^{\lambda n-n-1} \dot{z}}{k + lz^n}, \text{ or} \\ \text{for Brevity's sake (dividing by } z^{\lambda n-n-1} \dot{z}) \\ \frac{A + Bz^n}{k + lz^n.e + fz^n + ggz^{2n}} = \frac{A + Bz^n}{e + fz^n + ggz^{2n} + \frac{D}{k + lz^n}} = \\ \frac{+ Ak + Bk + Blz^{2n}}{+ De + Df + Dg} \text{; and compar-} \\ \text{(by Reduction) } \frac{k + lz^n.e + fz^n + ggz^{2n}}{k + lz^n.e + fz^n + ggz^{2n}}; \text{ and compar-} \\ \text{ing the homologous Terms, } Ak + De = 0, Al + \\ Bk + Df = 1, Bl + Dg = 0, \text{ whence (putting } t = ell \\ - fkt \end{array}$$

— $fk l + g k k$ ) we have  $D = \frac{-lk}{t}$ ,  $A = \frac{el}{t}$ ,  $B = \frac{gl}{t}$

Whence  $\frac{z^{\lambda n-1} z}{k + l z^n . e + f z^n + g z^{2n}} = \frac{el z^{\lambda n-n-1} z + g k z^{\lambda n-1}}{t . e + f z^n + g z^{2n}}$

—  $\frac{lk z^{\lambda n-n-1} z}{t . k + l z^n}$ ; and the first Part may be transformed again into others more simple by the sixth Example.

### PROP. X.

*An Equation being given containing the Fluxions of Quantities; to find the Fluents, either in simple Terms or in a Series thereof proceeding ad infinitum.*

### RULES.

When the *Fluxions* are not of the same Order in all the Terms, supply the Defect by the Powers of some given *Fluxion* supposed to be Unity: *Fractional* and *compound Quantities* must be reduc'd by Multiplication, Division, &c. *Radical Quantities* (except such where the fluxionary Part is in a given Ratio to the Fluxion of the Root) must be reduced to simple Terms by *Involution*; and the Roots of *adjected Equations* must be extracted. This Preparation being made,

#### I.

1. If the Equation then can be so order'd, that every Term has only one variable Quantity and its Fluxion: multiply separately each Term by its variable Quantity, and then divide it by the Fluxion and its new Index.

2. If any Term be such a radical Quantity that the fluxionary Part may be divided by the Fluxion of the Root (or Part under the Vinculum) and that by such Division the Quotient may be a given Quantity. Multiply that Term by the said Root, and then divide by the Fluxion of the Root and the new Index, for the Fluent of that radical Quantity.



3. If any Term be divided by the *first Power* of the variable Quantity; then the Fluxion of that Term must be found by itself thus; multiply the *given Coefficient* and the Number 2.302585 into the *Logarithm* of that variable Quantity, for the *Fluent* of that Term. Or thus by Series, substitute for this *variable Quantity* the Sum or Difference of some *given Quantity* and another *variable Quantity*, and its Fluxion for the Fluxion; then this new Term being actually divided, the Fluent will be found as in the first Article.

4. If in one Side of an Equation there be *two Terms* containing *two variable Quantities*, each multiply'd into the Fluxion of the other; then by Art. 1. find the Fluent of either Term supposing only one Quantity variable, and this will be the Fluent of both these Terms. And if there be *three Terms* containing *three variable Quantities*, where the Fluxion of each is multiply'd into the Product of the other two; then find the Fluent of any one of these Terms (by Art. 1.) considering the other Quantities as given; and this will be the Fluent of all three.

5. Lastly, All the *Terms* being collected on the corresponding Sides of the Equation, will give an Equation containing the *Relation* of the variable Quantities.

## EXAMPLE I.

Let  $\dot{y} = dx - \dot{x}$ , then the Fluent  $y = dx - x$ .

Ex. 2.

Let  $\dot{x} = ay^2\dot{y}$ , the Fluent is  $x = \frac{ay^3}{3}$ .

Ex. 3.

Let  $\dot{y} = \frac{-xx}{\sqrt{aa-xx}}$ , or  $\dot{y} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{aa-xx}} \times -xx$ ;

multiply by the Root  $aa - xx$ , and there is  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{aa-xx}} \times -xx$ ; divide this by  $-2xx \times \frac{1}{2}$  and there arises  $\frac{1}{aa-xx}$  or  $\sqrt{aa-xx} = y$ .

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Ex. 4.

Suppose  $\dot{y} = \frac{ax}{x}$ , then  $y = 2.302585a \times \text{Log. } x$ .

Or thus, let  $b + z = x$ , and  $\dot{z} = \dot{x}$ , then will  $\dot{y} =$

$$\frac{az}{b+z} = \frac{az}{b} - \frac{az\dot{z}}{b^2} + \frac{az^2\dot{z}}{b^3} - \frac{az^3\dot{z}}{b^4} + \text{Ec. and the}$$

$$\text{Fluent } y = \frac{az}{b} - \frac{az^2}{2b^2} + \frac{az^3}{3b^3} - \frac{az^4}{4b^4} \text{ Ec.}$$

Ex. 5.

Let  $z = 2ay^3xx + 3ax^2y^2\dot{y}$ , where there are the Quantities  $y^3$  and  $ax^2$ , and one multiply'd into the other's Fluxion; the Fluent of  $2ay^3xx$  (supposing  $y$  invariable) is  $ay^3x^2$ , therefore  $z = ay^3x^2$ .

Ex. 6.

$$\dot{v} = ax^m\dot{x}, \text{ then } v = \frac{ax^{m+1}}{m+1}$$

Ex. 7.

$$\text{Suppose } \dot{y} = \frac{ax}{x} + \frac{xx}{xx} \sqrt{2ax + xx}, \text{ then } y = \frac{ax + xx \times 2ax + \frac{3}{2} \times 2ax + 2xx}{3} = \frac{2ax + \frac{3}{2}xx}{3}$$

Ex. 8.

$$\text{Let } \dot{v} = \frac{\dot{x}}{y} - \frac{x\dot{y}}{yy}, \text{ that is } \dot{v} = y^{-1}\dot{x} - xy^{-2}\dot{y}, \text{ and the Fluent } v = xy^{-1} = \frac{x}{y}.$$

Ex. 9.

$$\text{Let } \dot{v} = y^2z^3\dot{x} + 2xz^3y\dot{y} + 3xy^2z^2\dot{z}; \text{ then } v = xy^2z^3.$$

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Ex. 10.

Suppose  $\dot{y} = \frac{\dot{x}}{x^3} - \frac{\dot{x}}{x^2} + \frac{a\dot{x}}{x^{\frac{1}{2}}} - x^{\frac{1}{2}}\dot{x} + x^{\frac{3}{2}}\dot{x}$ , multiply the first Side by  $\frac{y}{y}$ , and the last by  $\frac{x}{x}$ ; and there will be  $y = \frac{1}{xx} - \frac{1}{x} + ax^{\frac{1}{2}} - x^{\frac{3}{2}} + x^{\frac{5}{2}}$ ; then divide by the Index of the Power in each Term, and the Fluent will be  $y = \frac{-1}{2xx} + \frac{1}{x} + 2ax^{\frac{1}{2}} - \frac{2}{3}x^{\frac{3}{2}} + \frac{2}{5}x^{\frac{5}{2}}$ .

Ex. 11.

Let the given Equation be  $\dot{x} = \frac{2bbcy}{\sqrt{ay^3}} + \frac{3y^2\dot{y}}{a+b} + y\sqrt{by+c}\dot{y}$ , that is  $\dot{x} = \frac{2bbc}{\sqrt{a}} \times y^{-\frac{1}{2}}\dot{y} + \frac{3}{a+b} \times y^2\dot{y} + y^{\frac{1}{2}}\dot{y}\sqrt{b+c}$ ; the Fluent is  $x = \frac{-4bbc}{\sqrt{a}}y^{-\frac{1}{2}} + \frac{y^3}{a+b} + \frac{2}{3}y^{\frac{3}{2}}\sqrt{b+c}$ .

Ex. 12.

Let  $\dot{y} = x^{-\frac{1}{2}}\dot{x} - x^{\frac{1}{2}}\dot{x} + \frac{\dot{x}}{x}$ ; the Fluent will be  $y = 2x^{\frac{1}{2}} - \frac{2}{3}x^{\frac{3}{2}} + 2.302585 \text{ Log. } x$ . Or thus put  $a = z = x$ , and  $-\dot{z} = \dot{x}$ , then  $\frac{\dot{x}}{x} = \frac{-\dot{z}}{a-z} = -\frac{z}{a} - \frac{z\dot{z}}{a^2}$   $-\frac{z^2\dot{z}}{a^3} - \&c.$  whence  $\dot{y} = x^{-\frac{1}{2}}\dot{x} - x^{\frac{1}{2}}\dot{x} - \frac{\dot{z}}{a} - \frac{z\dot{z}}{a^2} - \frac{z^2\dot{z}}{a^3} - \&c.$  and then  $y = 2x^{\frac{1}{2}} - \frac{2}{3}x^{\frac{3}{2}} - \frac{z}{a} - \frac{z^2}{2aa} - \frac{z^3}{3a^3} - \&c.$

Ex. 13.

Let the Equation be  $\dot{y} = \frac{\dot{z}}{a + \beta z^n z^n z}$ ; involve that radical Quantity, and then  $\dot{y} = \frac{\dot{z}}{a^{\mu} z^{\tau} z} + \frac{\mu a^{\mu-1} \beta z^n + \tau z}{a^{\mu} z^{\tau} z}$

$\mu\alpha^{\mu-1}\beta z^{\pi+\pi} + \mu \cdot \frac{\mu-1}{2} \alpha^{\mu-2}\beta^2 z^{2\pi+\pi} + \mathcal{E}c.$  whence  
 the Fluent is  $y = \frac{\alpha^{\mu} z^{\pi+1}}{\pi+1} + \frac{\mu\alpha^{\mu-1}\beta z^{\pi+\pi+1}}{\pi+1} + \mu \times$   
 $\frac{\mu-1}{2} \times \frac{\alpha^{\mu-2}\beta^2 z^{2\pi+\pi+1}}{2\pi+1} + \mathcal{E}c.$

Ex. 14.

Suppose  $\dot{y} = \theta z^{\theta-1} \dot{z} + \theta f z^{\theta+n-1} \dot{z}$  into  $\overline{e+fz^n}^{\mu-1}$ ,  
 $+ \mu n f$   
 that is  $\dot{y} = \theta z^{\theta-1} \dot{z} \times \overline{e+fz^n}^{\mu} + \mu n f z^{\theta+n-1} \dot{z} \times \overline{e+fz^n}^{\mu-1}$ ,  
 here are the two Quantities  $z^{\theta}$  and  $\overline{e+fz^n}^{\mu}$  each mul-  
 tiply'd into the other's Fluxion; therefore  $y = z^{\theta} \times$   
 $\overline{e+fz^n}^{\mu}.$

Ex. 15.

Let  $\dot{y} = \theta e z^{\theta-1} \dot{z} + \theta f z^{\theta+n-1} \dot{z} + \theta g z^{\theta+2n-1} \dot{z}$  into  
 $+ \mu n f + 2\mu n g$   
 $\overline{e+fz^n+gz^{2n}}^{\mu-1}$ , that is  $\dot{y} = \theta z^{\theta-1} \dot{z} \times \overline{e+fz^n+gz^{2n}}^{\mu} +$   
 $+ \mu n f z^{\theta+n-1} \dot{z} + 2\mu n g z^{\theta+2n-1} \dot{z} \times \overline{e+fz^n+gz^{2n}}^{\mu-1}$ ,  
 Here are two Quantities  $z^{\theta}$  and  $\overline{e+fz^n+gz^{2n}}^{\mu}$  each  
 multiply'd into the Fluxion of the other, therefore  
 $y = z^{\theta} \times \overline{e+fz^n+gz^{2n}}^{\mu}$ , the Fluent.

Ex. 16.

Suppose  $\dot{y} = \theta e g z^{\theta-1} \dot{z} + \theta + \mu n \times f g z^{\theta+n-1} \dot{z} +$   
 $+ \theta + r n \times b e$   
 $\overline{\theta + \mu n + r n} \times f b z^{\theta+2n-1} \dot{z}$  into  $\overline{e+fz^n}^{\mu-1} \times \overline{g+bz^n}^{\mu-1}$ ,  
 that is  $\dot{y} = \theta z^{\theta-1} \dot{z} \times \overline{e+fz^n}^{\mu} \times \overline{g+bz^n}^{\mu} + \mu n f z^{\theta+n-1} \dot{z} \times$   
 $\overline{g+bz^n}^{\mu} \times \overline{e+fz^n}^{\mu-1} + r n b z^{\theta+n-1} \dot{z} \times \overline{e+fz^n}^{\mu} \times \overline{g+bz^n}^{\mu-1}$ .  
 Now here are the 3 Quantities  $z^{\theta}$ ,  $\overline{e+fz^n}^{\mu}$  and  $\overline{g+bz^n}^{\mu}$ ;  
 and the Fluxion of each is multiply'd into the Product  
 of the rest; therefore the Fluent is  $y = z^{\theta} \times \overline{e+fz^n}^{\mu}$   
 $\times \overline{g+bz^n}^{\mu}.$

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Ex. 17.

Let the Equation be given  $\dot{y}^2 = \dot{x}\dot{y} + x^2\dot{x}^2$ ; by extracting the Root,  $\dot{y} = \frac{1}{2}\dot{x} + \dot{x}\sqrt{\frac{1}{4} + xx} =$  (by Involution)  $\frac{1}{2}\dot{x} + \frac{1}{2}\dot{x} + x^2\dot{x} - x^4\dot{x} + 2x^6\dot{x} \&c.$  or  $\dot{y} = \frac{1}{2}\dot{x} - \frac{1}{2}\dot{x} - x^2\dot{x} + x^4\dot{x} - 2x^6\dot{x} \&c.$  Whence  $y = x + \frac{x^3}{3} - \frac{x^5}{5} + \frac{2x^7}{7} \&c.$  or  $y = \frac{-x^3}{3} + \frac{x^5}{5} - \frac{2x^7}{7} \&c.$

Ex. 18.

Suppose  $\dot{y}^3 + ax\dot{x}^2\dot{y} + a^2\dot{x}^2\dot{y} - x^3\dot{x}^3 - 2a^3\dot{x}^3 = 0$ . Extracting the Root of this Equation,  $\dot{y} = ax - \frac{xx}{4} + \frac{x^2x}{64a} + \frac{131x^3x}{512a^2} \&c.$  then the Fluent will be  $y = ax - \frac{x^2}{8} + \frac{x^3}{192a} - \frac{131x^4}{2048a^2} + \&c.$

Ex. 19.

Suppose this Equation  $\dot{z}^3 - c\dot{z}^2 - 2x^2\dot{z} - c^2\dot{z} + 2x^3 + c^3 = 0$ . Put  $\dot{x} = 1$ , by which multiplying the deficient Terms, and then you have  $\dot{z}^3 - c\dot{z}^2x - 2x^2\dot{x}^2\dot{z} - c^2\dot{x}^2\dot{z} + 2x^3\dot{x}^3 + c^3\dot{x}^3 = 0$ . And extracting the Root, which will be threefold, then  $\dot{z} = cx + \frac{xx}{4c} - \frac{x^2x}{32cc} + \frac{x^3x}{32cc} \&c.$  Or  $\dot{z} = cx - \frac{xx}{4c} + \frac{3x^2x}{4c} + \frac{15x^3x}{32cc} \&c.$  Or lastly  $\dot{z} = -cx - \frac{x^2x}{2c} - \frac{x^3x}{2cc} + \frac{x^4x}{4c^4} \&c.$  Whence the Fluent will either be  $z = cx + \frac{1}{2}xx - \frac{x^3}{12c} + \frac{x^4}{128cc} \&c.$  Or  $z = cx - \frac{1}{2}xx + \frac{x^3}{4c} + \frac{15x^4}{128cc} \&c.$  Or  $z = -cx - \frac{x^3}{6c} - \frac{x^4}{8cc} + \frac{x^6}{24c^4} \&c.$

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Ex. 20.

Let  $\frac{a^4y^2}{y} - 4a^3y^2 + 4a^2yy^2 + \frac{aaxx}{y}y^2 = 4ax^2y^2 + \frac{x^2x^2}{y} - 4x^2yy^2$ ; transpose  $4ax^2y^2 - 4x^2yy^2$ , and the multiply by  $y$ , and you have  $a^4y^2 - 4a^3yy^2 + 4a^2y^3y^2 + aax^2y^2 - 4ax^2yy^2 + 4y^2x^2y^2 = x^2x^2$ ; divide by  $aa + xx$ , and there arises  $ay^2 - 4ayy^2 + 4y^2y^2 = \frac{x^2x^2}{aa + xx}$ , extract the Root and  $ay - 2yy = \frac{xx}{\sqrt{aa + xx}}$  whence the Fluent is  $ay - yy = \pm \sqrt{aa + xx}$ .

Ex. 21.

Let  $zy + zy = ax$ , then its Fluent is  $zy = ax$ .

Ex. 22.

Suppose  $ayx^2 - byx^2 = bxx\ddot{y} + bx^3$ , or  $ayx^2 - byx^2 - bxx\ddot{y} = bx^3$ , supposing  $x$  invariable. Then its Fluent will be  $ayx^2 - bxx\dot{y} = bxx^2$ .

Ex. 23.

Let the Equation be  $azz^2 + aaz\dot{y} - abz\dot{x} = b\ddot{z} - abc\ddot{x}$ ; then the Fluent is  $\frac{az^2\dot{z}}{2} + aay\dot{z} - abx\dot{z} = bcz\dot{z} - abcx$ ; supposing  $z$  invariable.

## II.

If the Quantities cannot be so separated, but one or both of the *Fluxions* contain'd in the Equation will be affected with both the *variable Quantities*; then reduce the Equation so that one of the *Fluxions* alone may possess one Side of the Equation, and the other *Fluxion* affected with both the *variable Quantities* on the other Side, in simple Terms. Then,

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1. Range all the Quantities that are on the second Side of the Equation so, that all the fluxional Quantities affected only with its *own Fluent*, may stand *horizontally* at the Top, proceeding regularly according to the Indices either increasing or decreasing, according as the Fluent is to be had in an ascending or descending Series; and all the Terms affected with the other flowing Quantity stand *perpendicularly* on the *left Hand* according to their Indices.

2. Begin at the left Hand, and find the Fluent of the *first Term* of the *horizontal Row*, for the first Term of the Fluent; then substitute this instead of the other variable Quantity in all the Terms of the *perpendicular Row*, writing their new Values over against them under their proper Indices in the *horizontal Row*; then proceed to find the second, third, &c. Term of the Fluent; by summing up all the fluxionary Quantities of the same Index into one Term, and then finding its Fluent; all which Terms of the Fluent are to be gradually substituted for the Powers of the other Quantity as you go along.

3. And this Operation may be perform'd various Ways, by *assuming* any given Quantity for the first Term, or perhaps for some other Term of the Fluent, and oftentimes it will be *necessary* to do so. If any of the Terms be divided by the *first Power* of its flowing Quantity, it will sometimes be necessary to substitute for this Quantity, the Sum or Difference of a given Quantity and another variable Quantity; and then reduce the Terms to the prescribed Form. And this is the *Newtonian Rule* for finding the *Fluent*.

Ex. 24.

Let  $ay + xy + ax + xx = yx + \frac{ay^3x + xy^3x}{a^3} - \frac{ax^2x - x^3x}{a^2}$ , to find  $y$ . Divide by  $a + x$  and reduce

duce the Equation, then  $\dot{y} = \dot{x} + \frac{y\dot{x}}{a+x} + \frac{y^3\dot{x}}{a^3}$   
 $\frac{x^2\dot{x}}{a^2} = \dot{x} - \frac{x^2\dot{x}}{aa} + \frac{y^3\dot{x}}{a^3} + \frac{y\dot{x}}{a} - \frac{yxx}{aa} + \frac{yx^2\dot{x}}{a^3} \&c.$  then  
 the Work will be as follows.

	$\dot{x}$	$-\frac{x^2\dot{x}}{aa}$
$+\frac{y\dot{x}}{a}$	$+\frac{\dot{x}x}{a}$	$+\frac{x^2\dot{x}}{2aa} - \frac{x^3\dot{x}}{2a^3} \&c.$
$-\frac{yxx}{aa}$		$-\frac{x^2\dot{x}}{aa} - \frac{x^3\dot{x}}{2a^3} \&c.$
$+\frac{yx^2\dot{x}}{a^3}$		$+\frac{x^3\dot{x}}{a^3} \&c.$
$\&c.$		
$+\frac{y^3\dot{x}}{a^3}$		$+\frac{x^3\dot{x}}{a^3} \&c.$
$\dot{y} = \dot{x} + \frac{x\dot{x}}{a} - \frac{3x^2\dot{x}}{2aa} + \frac{x^3\dot{x}}{a^3} \&c.$		
$y = x + \frac{x^2}{2a} - \frac{x^3}{2aa} + \frac{x^4}{4a^3} \&c. = \text{Fluent.}$		

In this Example I write  $\dot{x} - \frac{x^2\dot{x}}{aa}$  horizontally and  
 $\frac{y\dot{x}}{a} - \frac{yxx}{aa} + \frac{yx^2\dot{x}}{a^3} \&c. + \frac{y^3\dot{x}}{a^3}$  perpendicularly; then  
 I bring down  $\dot{x}$  into the Value of  $\dot{y}$ , and get its *Fluent*  
 $x$  and put it into the Value of  $y$ . Then I substitute  $x$   
 for  $y$  in each Term of the perpendicular Row, placing  
 their respective Values  $\frac{x\dot{x}}{a}$ ,  $-\frac{x^2\dot{x}}{aa}$ ,  $+\frac{x^3\dot{x}}{a^3}$ , and  $+$   
 $\frac{x^3\dot{x}}{a^3}$  against each, under the proper Powers of  $x$ .

Then



Then I bring down the Term in the second Place  $+\frac{xx}{a}$ , and write its Fluent  $\frac{x^2}{2a}$  in the Value of  $y$ ; then

I write  $\frac{x^2}{2a}$  for  $y$  in the Terms  $+\frac{yx}{a} - \frac{yxx}{aa}$ , &c. and

the Result  $\frac{x^2x}{2a^2} - \frac{x^3x}{2a^3}$  I put over against them as before. Then I take the Sum of the Terms in the third

Place  $-\frac{x^2x}{aa} + \frac{x^2x}{2aa} - \frac{x^2x}{aa}$ , and set this Sum  $-\frac{3x^2x}{2aa}$  underneath, and get its Fluent  $-\frac{x^3}{2aa}$  which I substitute for  $y$  as before. And thus I proceed as far as I please.

Ex. 25.

Let  $y = x - 3xx + yx + x^2x + yxx$ , to find  $y$ .  
Here  $x$  the first Term being found and written for  $y$ , you get  $-2xx$ , and its Fluent  $-\frac{xx}{a}$  for the second Term, which being also written for  $y$ , you'll get  $+\frac{x^2x}{a}$ , and its Fluent  $\frac{x^3}{3}$  for the third Term; and so on as below.

	$+x - 3xx + x^2x$
$+yx$	$+xx - x^2x + \frac{1}{3}x^3x - \frac{1}{6}x^4x \text{ \&c.}$
$+yxx$	$+x^2x - x^3x + \frac{1}{3}x^4x \text{ \&c.}$
$y =$	$x - 2xx + x^2x - \frac{2}{3}x^3x + \frac{1}{6}x^4x \text{ \&c.}$
$y =$	$x - \frac{xx}{a} + \frac{1}{3}x^3 - \frac{1}{6}x^4 + \frac{1}{30}x^5 \text{ \&c.}$

Otherwise thus.

Here I take  $a$  for the first Term of  $y$ , and writing it instead of  $y$ , I get  $ax + x$  the next Term, which  
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being again written for  $y$ , I get the third Term  $ax^3$  —  $x^2$ , and so on; see the Work.

	$+x - 3xx + x^2x$
$+yx$	$ax + \frac{a}{1}xx + \frac{a}{1}x^2x + \frac{\frac{2}{3}a}{\frac{1}{3}}x^3x \&c.$
$+yxx$	$+axx + \frac{a}{1}x^2x + \frac{a}{1}x^3x \&c.$
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$y =$	$+\frac{a}{1}x + \frac{2a}{2}xx + \frac{2a}{1}x^2x + \frac{\frac{5}{3}a}{\frac{1}{3}}x^3x \&c.$
$y =$	$a + \frac{a}{1}x + \frac{a}{1}x^2 + \frac{\frac{2}{3}a}{\frac{1}{3}}x^3 + \frac{\frac{5}{12}a}{\frac{1}{6}}x^4 \&c.$

Ex. 26.

Suppose this Equation  $y = -3xx + 3yxx + y^2x - y^2xx + y^3x - y^3xx \&c. + 6yx^2x - 6x^2x + 8yx^3x - 8x^3x + 10yx^4x - 10x^4x \&c.$  To find the Value of  $y$  as far as 7 Dimensions of  $x$ .

I place the Terms in Order according to the following Table, and then I work as before; and moreover I subjoin the Square and Cube of the Value of  $y$  gradually produc'd, to be substituted by Degrees into their proper Places towards the right Hand, in the Values of the Marginals on the left, as follows.

$y$	$-3xx + 3yxx + y^2x - y^2xx + y^3x - y^3xx \&c.$	
$y^2$	$9x^4x - 18yx^3x + 9y^2x^2x - 6y^3x^2x + 3y^4x^3x - 3y^5x^4x + \&c.$	
$y^3$	$-27x^6x + 54yx^5x - 27y^2x^4x + 18y^3x^3x - 9y^4x^2x + 3y^5x^2x - 3y^6x^3x + \&c.$	

And thus I proceed till I have found the Value of  $y$  as far as I please.

	$-3xx - 6x^2x - 8x^3x - 10x^4x - 12x^5x - 14x^6x$ $\mathcal{E}c.$
$+3yxx$	$-\frac{9}{2}x^3x - 6x^4x - \frac{7}{8}x^5x - \frac{2}{20}x^6x$ $\mathcal{E}c.$
$+6yx^2x$	$-9x^4x - 12x^5x - \frac{7}{4}x^6x$ $\mathcal{E}c.$
$+8yx^3x$	$-12x^5x - 16x^6x$ $\mathcal{E}c.$
$+10yx^4x$	$-15x^6x$ $\mathcal{E}c.$
$\mathcal{E}c.$	
$+yyx$	$+\frac{9}{4}x^4x + 6x^5x + \frac{1}{8}x^6x$ $\mathcal{E}c.$
$-y^2xx$	$-\frac{9}{4}x^5x - 6x^6x$ $\mathcal{E}c.$
$\mathcal{E}c.$	
$+y^3x$	$-\frac{2}{8}x^6x$ $\mathcal{E}c.$
$y =$	$-3xx - 6x^2x - \frac{2}{2}x^3x - \frac{9}{4}x^4x - \frac{3}{8}x^5x - \frac{3}{5}x^6x$ $\mathcal{E}c.$
$y =$	$-\frac{3}{2}x^2 - 2x^3 - \frac{2}{8}x^4 - \frac{9}{20}x^5 - \frac{1}{16}x^6 - \frac{3}{35}x^7$ $\mathcal{E}c.$
$y^2 =$	$\frac{9}{4}x^4 + 6x^5 + \frac{1}{8}x^6$ $\mathcal{E}c.$
$y^3 =$	$-\frac{2}{8}x^6$ $\mathcal{E}c.$

Ex. 27.

Let  $y = \frac{yx}{xx} + \frac{x}{xx} + 3x + 2xx - \frac{4x}{x}$ ; to find  $y$  in a descending Series. Here the Terms in the horizontal Row must be placed to proceed from the greater Indices to the lesser: And the Work will be as below.

	$+ 2xx + 3x - \frac{4x}{x} + \frac{x}{xx}$
$+\frac{yx}{xx}$	$x + \frac{4x}{x} * - \frac{x}{x^3} + \frac{x}{2x^4}$ $\mathcal{E}c.$
$y =$	$2xx + 4x + 0 + \frac{x}{xx} - \frac{x}{x^3} + \frac{x}{2x^4}$ $\mathcal{E}c.$
$y =$	$x^2 + 4x * - \frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{2x^2} - \frac{1}{6x^3}$ $\mathcal{E}c.$

Here observe, that any given Quantity might have been inferted between the Terms  $4x$  and  $-\frac{1}{x}$ ; and so  $y$  might be extracted an infinite Variety of ways. But if that fluxionary Term had not vanish'd, then we had been obliged to substitute  $a+z$  or  $a-z$  for  $x$  in the given Equation before it could be resolved.

Ex. 28.

Suppose the given Equation  $x^2\dot{y} = x\dot{x} - \dot{x} - yx^2\dot{x}$ ; by Reduction  $\dot{y} = \frac{\dot{x}}{x} - y\dot{x} - \frac{\dot{x}}{xx}$ , then the Work will be very easily performed as in the following Table.

	$-\frac{\dot{x}}{xx} + \frac{\dot{x}}{x}$
$-y\dot{x}$	$-\frac{\dot{x}}{x}$
$\dot{y} =$	$-\frac{\dot{x}}{xx} + 0$
$y =$	$\frac{1}{x}$

### III.

When the given Equation contains first Fluxions alone, or if it contains *first, second, or third, &c. Fluxions*, as in the following Example, where  $2axy\dot{x} + 2x^2\dot{y}^2 - 2y^2\dot{x}^2 = 0$  to find  $x$  expressed by  $y$  and given Quantities; it will be resolved by the following general Method,

I. Make the Equation  $= 0$ ; and assume an *indefin'd Series* to represent the Series required; as  $x = Ay^n + By^n + \dots + Cy^n + \dots + Dy^n + \dots$ , &c. wherein the

the Indices  $n$ ,  $n + r$ ,  $n + s$  continually increase if  $y$  be very small, or decrease if it be great.

2. To find the first Index  $n$ ; substitute into the given Equation the *first Term*  $Ay^n$ , its *Fluxion*, and *second Fluxion*, &c. instead of  $x$ ,  $\dot{x}$ , and  $\ddot{x}$ , &c. (if they be there) and then you'll have a new Equation, as  $2aAy^n - nn - n \times aAy^n + 2A^2y^{2n} - 2n^2A^2y^{2n} = 0$ , supposing  $y = 1$ . Make two (or more) of the Terms equal to nothing that have the *least Indices* equal to one another, for an *ascending Series*; or those that have the *greatest Indices* equal, for a *descending Series*: then by equating their Indices or else their Coefficients,  $n$  will be found. Or if there happen to be only *one Term* with such least or greatest Index, make its *Coefficient*  $= 0$ , which will destroy that Term, and perhaps give the Value of  $n$ : Thus, in this Example for an ascending Series, you'll have  $2aAy^n - nn - n \times aAy^n = 0$ , or  $nn - n = 2$ , whence  $n = 2$ .

3. For the other Indices; substitute the Value of  $n$  into the foregoing Equation, and you'll have  $2aAy^2 - 2aAy^2 + 2A^2y^4 - 8A^2y^4 = 0$ . Then take the *least Index* in an *ascending Series*, or the *greatest* in a *descending* one from each of the rest; and find all the possible Numbers that result by *adding* all these Remainders to themselves and to one another as oft as possible, and then you have  $r$ ,  $s$ ,  $t$ , &c. here  $4 - 2 = 2$  only one Remainder; then  $2$ ,  $4$ ,  $6$ , &c.  $= r$ ,  $s$ ,  $t$ , &c. And therefore the Series is  $Ay^2 + By^4 + Cy^6 + Dy^8$  &c.  $= x$ .

4. For determining the Coefficients  $A$ ,  $B$ ,  $C$ , &c. substitute into the given Equation the *Values* of  $x$ ,  $\dot{x}$ ,  $\ddot{x}$ , &c. expressed by the foregoing Series  $Ay^2 + By^4 + Cy^6$ , &c. and put the *Sum* of the *Coefficients* of every several Power of  $y$  equal to nothing, and thence  $A$ ,  $B$ ,  $C$ , &c. will be gradually found. Thus  $\dot{x} = 2Ay + 4By^3 + 6Cy^5$ , &c.  $\ddot{x} = 2A + 12By^2 + 30Cy^4$ , &c. where  $y = 1$ , these being substituted, the Work will be perform'd as below.

5. If

5. If the first Equation for the Coefficients be an *affected* Equation containing several *different Powers* of A, then that Equation will afford several Roots of Values of A; and as many different Roots so many different Series may be obtain'd. And if A has several equal Values or Roots in this Equation, then you must divide the least Remainder above by that Number (of equal Roots of A, one of which you assume for its Value;) then proceed as in Art. 3. taking this Quotient for another Remainder.

6. If a Series be required to be express'd in Terms of that *Quantity* whose 2d, 3d Fluxion, &c. is in the Equation; it must first be got in Terms of the *other* Quantity that has no second, third, &c. Fluxion; and then the Series reverted.

SCHOL. As there are fluxionary Equations that admit of several Solutions, and may have the Root express'd various ways; so there are Equations that cannot be resolv'd at all as being impossible; and others that are very difficult to be resolv'd, and may require the utmost Skill of the Analyst, and sometimes different Procefs from these Rules.

Ex. 29.

Let  $2axy^2 - ay^2\ddot{x} + 2x^2\dot{y}^2 - 2y^2\dot{x}^2 = 0$ ; to find  $x$  express'd by  $y$  and given Quantities.

The Form of the Series found by the foregoing Rule is  $x = Ay^2 + By^4 + Cy^6 + Dy^8$  &c. This and it's Fluxions being substituted into the given Equation will be as follows.

$+2axy^2$	$+2aAy^2 + 2aBy^4 + 2aCy^6 + 2aDy^8$ &c.
$-ay^2\ddot{x}$	$-2aAy^2 - 24aBy^4 - 60aCy^6 - 112aDy^8$ &c.
$+2x^2\dot{y}^2$	$+2A^2y^4 + 4ABy^6 + 2BBy^8 + 4ACy^8$ &c.
$-2y^2\dot{x}^2$	$-8A^2y^4 - 32ABy^6 - 32BBy^8 - 48ACy^8$ &c.

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Then equating their respective Coefficients;  $2aA - 2aA = 0$ , therefore  $A$  may be taken at Pleasure.

Again  $-22aB - 6A^2 = 0$ , thence  $B = \frac{-3A^2}{11a}$ .

After the same Manner  $C = \frac{42A^3}{319aa}$ , and  $D = \frac{-10164A^4}{17545a^3}$ .

$\mathcal{E}c$ . Whence  $x = Ay^2 - \frac{3A^2}{11a}y^4 + \frac{42A^3}{319aa}y^6 - \frac{10164A^4}{17545a^3}y^8 \mathcal{E}c$ .

*Otherwise thus for a descending Series.*

Make the Terms  $2A^2y^{2n} - 2n^2A^2y^{2n} = 0$ , or  $1 - nn = 0$ , whence  $n = 1$ ; this substituted for  $n$  will produce  $2aAy + 2A^2y^2 - 2A^2y^2 = 0$ . Take the greatest Index 2 from the rest, which is 1, and there remains  $-1$ ; therefore  $r, s, t, \mathcal{E}c$ . are  $-1, -2, -3, \mathcal{E}c$ . and the Series is  $Ay + B + Cy^{-1} + Dy^{-2} \mathcal{E}c$ . and the Operation will be as follows.

$$\begin{array}{l} \left. \begin{array}{l} +2axy^2 \\ -ay^2x \end{array} \right| \begin{array}{l} +2aAy + 2aB + 2aCy^{-1} \mathcal{E}c. \\ -2aCy^{-1} \mathcal{E}c. \\ +2x^2y^2 + 2A^2y^2 + 2ABy + 2BB + 4BC \\ +4AC + 4ADy^{-1} \mathcal{E}c. \\ -2y^2x^2 - 2A^2y^2 + 4AC + 8ADy^{-1} \mathcal{E}c. \end{array} \\ \text{or } \left\{ \begin{array}{l} +2A^2y^2 + 2aA + 2aB \\ -2A^2y^2 + 4ABy + 2BB + 2BC \\ +8AC + 12ADy^{-1} \mathcal{E}c. = 0. \end{array} \right. \end{array}$$

Hence, equaling the Coefficients;  $2A^2 - 2A^2 = 0$ , and  $A$  may be again taken at Pleasure; likewise  $B = \frac{-a}{2}$ ,  $C = \frac{aa}{4A}$ ,  $D = \frac{a^3}{24A^2}$ ,  $\mathcal{E}c$ . whence the Series is known, and  $x = Ay - \frac{a}{2} + \frac{aa}{4Ay} + \frac{a^3}{24A^2y^2} \mathcal{E}c$ .

Ex. 30.

Let  $a^3y - a^2y\ddot{y} + yy\ddot{x} = 0$ , to find  $y$  in an ascending Series.

Assume

Assume  $y = Ax^n + Bx^{n+r} + Cx^{n+t} \&c.$  and substituting the first Term and its Fluxions for  $y$  and its Fluxions, we have  $n.n-1.n-2.a^2Ax^{n-3} - n^2.n-1 \times a^2A^2x^{2n-3} + nA^2x^{2n-1} = 0$ . Since the Index  $n-3$  is the least Index, make its Coefficient  $n.n-1.n-2 = 0$ , and take one of the Roots  $n = 2$ . Whence the Indices will be  $-1, 1, 3$ , subtract the least,  $-1$  from the rest, and there remains  $2, 4$ ; therefore  $r, s, t = 2, 4, 6 \&c.$  whence  $y = Ax^2 + Bx^4 + Cx^6 \&c.$  and the rest of the Work is as follows.

$$\begin{array}{l|l} + a^3\ddot{y} & + 24a^3Bx + 120a^3Cx^3 + 336a^3Dx^5 \&c. \\ - a^2\dot{y}\dot{y} & - 4a^2A^2x - 32a^2ABx^3 - 72a^2ACx^5 \&c. \\ + y\dot{y}x^2 & + 2A^2x^3 + 6ABx^5 \&c. \end{array}$$

Hence  $24a^3B = 4a^2A^2$ , and  $A$  may be taken at pleasure; let  $A = \frac{1}{2a}$  then  $B = \frac{1}{24a^3}$ , also  $C = \frac{1}{720a^5}$ ,  $D = \frac{-1}{4480a^7} \&c.$  Whence  $y = \frac{x^2}{2a} + \frac{x^4}{24a^3} + \frac{x^6}{720a^5} - \frac{x^8}{4480a^7} \&c.$

*Otherwise for a descending Series.*

Let  $2n-1$  and  $n-3$  be supposed to be the greatest Indices, then  $n-3 = 2n-1$ , and  $n = -2$ , and these Indices will be  $-5, -7$ ; and taking  $-5$  from  $-7$  the Remainder is  $-2$ ; therefore  $r, s, t = -2, -4, -6 \&c.$  Wherefore  $y = Ax^{-2} + Bx^{-4} + Cx^{-6} \&c.$  the rest of the Work will be thus,

$$\begin{array}{l|l} + a^3\ddot{y} & - 24a^3Ax^{-5} - 120a^3Bx^{-7} - 336a^3Cx^{-9} \&c. \\ - a^2\dot{y}\dot{y} & + 12a^2A^2x^{-7} + 60a^2ABx^{-9} \&c. \\ + y\dot{y}x^2 & - 2A^2x^{-5} - 6ABx^{-7} - 8ACx^{-9} \&c. \\ & - 4BBx^{-9} \&c. \end{array}$$

Therefore  $A = -12a^3, B = 36a^5, C = -\frac{1111}{10}a^7 \&c.$  And  $y = -12a^3x^{-2} + 36a^5x^{-4} - \frac{1111}{10}a^7x^{-6} \&c.$

Ex. 3<sup>d</sup>.



Ex. 31.

Let the Equation be  $x = \frac{1}{2}yy - 4y^2y + 2x^{\frac{1}{2}}yy - \frac{4}{3}x^2y + 7y^{\frac{1}{2}}y + 2y^3y$ , to find  $x$  in  $y$  ascending.

Let  $x = Ay^n + By^{n+r} + Cy^{n+s}$  &c; and substituting  $Ay^n$  and its Fluxion for  $x$  and  $\dot{x}$ , there arises  $-nAy^{n-1} + \frac{1}{2}y - 4y^2 + A\frac{1}{2}y^{\frac{n}{2}+1} - \frac{4}{3}A^2y^{2n} + \frac{4}{3}y^{\frac{1}{2}} + 2y^3 = 0$ . Suppose  $n-1$  and  $1$  to be the least Indices, and you will have  $-nAy^{n-1} + \frac{1}{2}y = 0$ , and  $n-1=1$ , or  $n=2$ , and all the Indices will be  $1, 2, 4, 2\frac{1}{2}, 3$ . Take  $1$  from the Rest and the Remainders are,  $1, 1\frac{1}{2}, 2, 3$ ; whence  $r, s, t$ , &c. are  $1, 1\frac{1}{2}, 2, 2\frac{1}{2}, 3$ , &c. and  $x = Ay^2 + By^3 + Cy^{3\frac{1}{2}} + Dy^4$  &c. hence,

$$\begin{array}{r|l}
 -\dot{x} & -2Ay - 3By^2 - 3\frac{1}{2}Cy^{2\frac{1}{2}} - 4Dy^3 \text{ \&c.} \\
 + \frac{1}{2}y & + \frac{1}{2}y \\
 -4y^2 & -4y^2 \\
 + 2yx^{\frac{1}{2}} & + 2A\frac{1}{2}y^2 \quad * \quad + \frac{By^3}{A^{\frac{1}{2}}} \\
 -\frac{4}{3}x^2 & \quad * \quad * \quad * \\
 + 7y^{\frac{1}{2}} & \quad \quad + 7y^{\frac{1}{2}} \quad * \\
 + 2y^3 & \quad \quad \quad + 2y^3
 \end{array}$$

therefore  $A = \frac{1}{4}$ , likewise  $B = -1$ ,  $C = 2$ ,  $D = 0$ , &c. and the Series is  $x = \frac{1}{4}y^2 - y^3 + 2y^{\frac{3}{2}}$  &c.

Ex. 32.

Let  $z^3 - cz^2 - 2x^2z - c^2z + 2x^3 + c^3 = 0$ , to find  $z$  in a Series of  $x$  ascending. Put  $z = Ax^n + Bx^{n+r} + Cx^{n+s}$  &c. and by Substitution according to the Rule, we have  $n^3A^3x^{3n-3} - cn^2A^2x^{2n-2} - 2nAx^{n+1} - nccAx^{n-1} + 2x^3 + c^3 = 0$ ; and supposing the least Indices  $n-1$  and  $0$  to be equal, we have  $n=1$ . And all these Indices will become  $0, 2, 3$ ; and subtracting the least  $0$ , the Remainders will be  $2, 3$ ; whence  $r, s, t$ , &c. =  $2, 3, 4$ , &c. and the Series is  $z = Ax + Bx^3 + Cx^4 + Dx^5$  &c. and the Operation as follows,

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$$\begin{array}{r|l}
 +z^3 & +A^3 + 9A^2Bx^2 + 12A^2Cx^3 + 15A^2D \\
 & + 27AB^2x^4 \quad \mathcal{E}c. \\
 -cz^2 & -cA^2 - 6cABx^2 - 8cACx^3 - 9cB^2 \\
 & - 10cAD \quad x^4 \quad \mathcal{E}c. \\
 -2x^2z & -2A^2x^2 \quad * \quad -6B \quad x^4 \quad \mathcal{E}c. \\
 -c^2z & -c^2A - 3c^2Bx^2 - 4c^2Cx^3 - 5c^2D \quad x^4 \quad \mathcal{E}c. \\
 +2x^3 & +2x^3 \quad * \\
 +c^3 & +c^3
 \end{array}$$

Here  $A^3 - cA^2 - c^2A + c^3 = 0$ , and  $A = +c$  or  $-c$ : If  $A = +c$  then  $B$  will be infinite, therefore  $A = -c$ , and then  $B = -\frac{1}{6c}$ ,  $C = -\frac{1}{8cc}$ ,  $D = 0$ ,  $\mathcal{E}c$ . And  $z = -cx - \frac{x^3}{6c} - \frac{x^4}{8cc} \quad \mathcal{E}c$ .

If you take  $A = +c$ ; then since the Equation  $A^3 - cA^2 - c^2A + c^3 = 0$ , contains two Roots  $= c$ ; therefore divide 2 (the least Remainder) by 2 (the Number of equal Roots) and the Quotient is 1. Then by Help of the Remainders 1, 2, 3,  $\mathcal{E}c$ . you will get the Series  $z = Ax + Bx^2 + Cx^3$ ,  $\mathcal{E}c$ . with this proceed as with the former, and you will get other Series for the Value of  $z$ , wherein  $B$  may be taken at Pleasure.

Ex. 33.

Suppose  $ey + fz^m \dot{y} + dyz^{m-1} \dot{z} = z^p \dot{z}$ , to find  $y$ . Assume  $y = Az^n + Bz^{n+r} + Cz^{n+s} \quad \mathcal{E}c$ . then putting  $Az^n$  and its Fluxion for  $y$  and  $\dot{y}$ ; and you have  $enAz^{n-1} + fnAz^{m+n-1} + dAz^{m+n-1} - z^p = 0$ ; take the Indices  $n-1=p$ , then  $n=p+1$ , and the Indices become  $p$ ,  $p+m$ , and the common Difference  $=m$ , and  $r, s, t = m, 2m, 3m$ , &c. Whence  $y = Az^{p+1} + Bz^{p+m+1} + Cz^{p+2m+1} \quad \mathcal{E}c$ . therefore,

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$$\begin{array}{r|l}
 + ey & \overline{p+1.eAz^p} + \overline{p+1+m.eBz^{p+m}} + \overline{p+1+2m.eCz^{p+2m}} \quad \mathcal{E}c. \\
 + fz^m y & \overline{p+1.fAz^{p+m}} + \overline{p+1+m.fBz^{p+2m}} \quad \mathcal{E}c. \\
 + dyz^{m-1} z & + dAz^{p+m} + dBz^{p+2m} \quad \mathcal{E}c. \\
 - z^p z & - z^p
 \end{array}$$

Hence  $A = \frac{1}{p+1.e}$ ,  $B = -\frac{d+p+1.f}{p+1+m.e} A$ ,  $C = -\frac{d+p+1+m.f}{p+1+2m.e} B$ ,  $\mathcal{E}c.$  and putting  $\epsilon = p+1$ , and  $\delta = \frac{d}{\epsilon} + \overline{p+1}$ , then  $y = \frac{z^1}{\epsilon e} - \frac{\delta f}{\epsilon + m.e} Az^{1+m} - \frac{\delta + m.f}{\epsilon + 2m.e} Bz^{1+2m} - \frac{\delta + 2m.f}{\epsilon + 3m.e} Cz^{1+3m} \quad \mathcal{E}c.$

Ex. 34.

Let  $x = \overline{\alpha + \beta z^m} z^\pi z$ , to find  $x$  by a Series of  $z$ . Suppose  $x = y \times \overline{\alpha + \beta z^m}$ , this in Fluxions gives  $\dot{x} = \dot{y} \times \overline{\alpha + \beta z^m} + \mu m \beta y z^{m-1} \dot{z} \times \overline{\alpha + \beta z^m}^{m-1} = \overline{\alpha + \beta z^m} \times z^\pi \dot{z}$ , that is  $\alpha \dot{y} + \beta z^m \dot{y} + \mu m \beta y z^{m-1} \dot{z} - \alpha z^\pi \dot{z} - \beta z^{\pi+m} \dot{z} = 0$ . Let  $y = Az^\pi + Bz^{\pi+m} + Cz^{\pi+2m} \quad \mathcal{E}c.$  then by Substitution  $\alpha n Az^{\pi-1} + n \beta A z^{\pi+m-1} + \mu m \beta A z^{\pi+m-1} - \alpha z^\pi - \beta z^{\pi+m} = 0$ . And putting the Indices  $n-1 = \pi$ , then  $n = \pi+1$ , and these Indices are  $\pi$ ,  $\pi+m$ , and the common Difference  $m$ , whence  $y = Az^{\pi+1} + Bz^{\pi+1+m} + Cz^{\pi+1+2m} \quad \mathcal{E}c.$

And

$$\begin{array}{r|l}
 \alpha y & \overline{\pi+1.\alpha Az^\pi} + \overline{\pi+1+m.\alpha Bz^{\pi+m}} + \overline{\pi+1+2m.\alpha Cz^{\pi+2m}} \quad \mathcal{E}c. \\
 + \beta z^m y & + \overline{\pi+1.\beta A} + \overline{\pi+1+m.\beta B} \quad \mathcal{E}c. \\
 + \mu m \beta y z^{m-1} y & + \mu m \beta A + \mu m \beta B \quad \mathcal{E}c. \\
 - \alpha z^\pi z - \beta z^{\pi+m} z & - \alpha \quad - \beta
 \end{array}$$

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Hence  $A = \frac{1}{\pi + 1}$ ,  $B = -\frac{\mu m \beta}{\pi + 1. \pi + 1 + m. \alpha}$ ,  
 $C = \frac{\mu m + \pi + 1 + m \times \beta^2 \mu m}{\pi + 1. \pi + 1 + m. \pi + 1 + 2m. \alpha^2} \mathcal{E}c$ . whence  
 putting  $q = \frac{\beta z^\pi}{\alpha}$ ,  $\epsilon = \pi + 1$ ,  $\delta = \epsilon + \mu m$ . P, Q, R,  
 each preceding Term with its Sign, then  $x = \overline{\alpha + \beta z^\pi}^\mu$   
 $x : \frac{z^\pi}{\epsilon} - \frac{\mu m q}{\epsilon + m} P - \frac{\delta + m. q}{\epsilon + 2m} Q - \frac{\delta + 2m. q}{\epsilon + 3m} R - \mathcal{E}c$   
 $= \text{Fl: } \overline{\alpha + \beta z^\pi}^\mu z^\pi z$ .

Ex. 35.

Let  $x = \overline{e + fz^\pi + gz^{2\pi} + hz^{3\pi}} \mathcal{E}c$ .  $x \alpha + \beta z^\pi + \gamma z^{2\pi} + \delta z^{3\pi} \mathcal{E}c$ .  
 $\times z^\pi z$ , to find  $x$  by  $z$ . Suppose  $x = y \alpha + \beta z^\pi + \gamma z^{2\pi} + \delta z^{3\pi} \mathcal{E}c$ ,  
 this put into Fluxions, and then the whole divided  
 by  $\overline{\alpha + \beta z^\pi + \gamma z^{2\pi}} \mathcal{E}c$ . you have  $z^\pi z \times \overline{e + fz^\pi + gz^{2\pi}} \mathcal{E}c$   
 $= \overline{y \alpha + \beta z^\pi + \gamma z^{2\pi}} \mathcal{E}c + \mu + 1. y x \beta z^{\pi-1} + 2n \gamma z^{2\pi-1} \mathcal{E}c$ .  
 Let  $y = Az^m + Bz^{m+1} + Cz^{m+2} \mathcal{E}c$ . then  $Az^m$   
 and its Fluxion being substituted for  $y$  and  $\dot{y}$ , for the  
 first Term of each compound Quantity in the forego-  
 ing Equation, and there will be  $-cz^\pi + m \alpha Az^{m-1} +$   
 $\overline{\mu + 1. \beta Az^{m+\pi-1}} \mathcal{E}c = 0$ ; and making the Indices  
 $\pi$  and  $m-1$  equal, then  $m = \pi + 1$ , and the other In-  
 dex is  $\pi + 1 + n$ , and the common Difference  $n$ , whence  
 $y = Az^{\pi+1} + Bz^{\pi+1+n} + Cz^{\pi+1+2n} \mathcal{E}c$ . And putting  
 $\pi + 1 = p$ , then  $y = pAz^\pi + \overline{p+n. Bz^{\pi+n}} + \overline{p+2n. C}$   
 $\overline{Cz^{\pi+2n}} \mathcal{E}c$ . put  $m = \mu + 1$ , then

$$\begin{array}{r|l}
 -ez^{\pi} - fz^{\pi+n} \mathcal{E}c. & -ez^{\pi} \quad -fz^{\pi+n} \quad -gz^{\pi+2n} \mathcal{E}c. \\
 + \alpha y & + p\alpha A + \overline{p+n}.\alpha B + \overline{p+2n}.\alpha C \quad \mathcal{E}c. \\
 + \beta z^{\pi} y & + p\beta A \quad + \overline{p+n}.\beta B \quad \mathcal{E}c. \\
 + \gamma z^{2n} y & \quad + p\gamma A \quad \mathcal{E}c. \\
 \mathcal{E}c. & \\
 + mn\beta y z^{\pi-1} & + mn\beta A \quad + mn\beta B \quad \mathcal{E}c. \\
 + 2mn\gamma y z^{2n-1} & \quad + 2mn\gamma A \quad \mathcal{E}c. \\
 \mathcal{E}c. & 
 \end{array}$$

$$\text{Hence } A = \frac{e}{p\alpha}, \quad B = \frac{f - \frac{p}{mn}\beta A}{p+n.\alpha}, \quad C = \frac{g - \frac{p}{2mn}\gamma A - \frac{p+n}{mn}\beta B}{p+2n.\alpha}$$

$$D = \frac{b - \frac{p}{3mn}\delta A - \frac{p+n}{2mn}\gamma B - \frac{p+2n}{mn}\beta C}{p+3n.\alpha}, \quad E = \frac{k - \frac{p}{4mn}\epsilon A - \frac{p+n}{3mn}\delta B - \frac{p+2n}{2mn}\gamma C - \frac{p+3n}{mn}\beta D}{p+4n.\alpha}, \quad \mathcal{E}c.$$

$$\text{And } x = Az^p + Bz^{p+n} + Cz^{p+2n} + Dz^{p+3n} \mathcal{E}c. \\
 x \alpha + \beta z^{\pi} + \gamma z^{2n} + \delta z^{3n} \mathcal{E}c. \quad \mu+1$$

## IV.

The *Fluent* of an *irrational Fluxion* may sometimes also be found by *assuming* an *indetermin'd Series* as in the last Rule.

Ex. 36.

Suppose  $z = v^2 x^2 x$ , where  $\dot{v} = \frac{ax}{y}$ , and  $y = \sqrt{2ax - xx}$ . I take  $Av^2 x^3$  for the first Term, and assume as many Terms of the inferior Powers of  $v$  and  $x$ , or their Products, as I think will be sufficient; for which no general Rule can be given. But you need take no more than the first Power of  $y$ , because all the Powers above will be express'd by the Powers of  $x$ , which are supposed to be already in the Equation.

tion. Thus I assume  $z = Av^2x^3 + Bv^2 + Cx^2 + Dx + E$   
 $\times vy + Fx^3 + Gx^2 + Hx = \text{Flu}^t. v^2x^2\dot{x}$ . Put this  
 Equation into Fluxions making  $\dot{x} = 1$ , and writing  
 every where  $\frac{a}{y}$  for  $\dot{v}$ ; then reduce it from Fractions,  
 writing  $2ax - xx$  for  $yy$  where it occurs. Then col-  
 lect severally all the homologous Terms (or those of  
 the same Powers of all or any of the Quantities  $x$ ,  $v$ ,  
 $y$ ), thus

$$\begin{array}{r}
 + 3Av^2x^2y + 2aAx^3v + 5aCx^2v + 3aDxv + 2aBv \\
 - 1 \qquad - 3C \qquad - 2D \qquad - E \qquad + aE \\
 + 3Fx^2y + aDxy + aEy \} = 0, \\
 + aC \qquad + 2G \qquad + H
 \end{array}$$

The respective Coefficients then being equated,  
 there will be found  $A = \frac{1}{3}$ ,  $C = \frac{2}{9}a$ ,  $D = \frac{5}{9}aa$ ,  
 $E = \frac{5}{3}a^3$ ,  $B = -\frac{5}{6}a^3$ ,  $F = -\frac{2}{3}aa$ ,  $G = -\frac{5}{18}a^3$ ,  
 $H = -\frac{5}{3}a^4$ . And thence  $z = \frac{x^3v^2}{3} - \frac{5}{6}a^3v^2 +$   
 $\frac{2}{9}ax^2 + \frac{5}{9}aax + \frac{5}{3}a^3 \times vy - \frac{2}{18}a^2x^3 - \frac{5}{18}a^3x^2 - \frac{5}{3}a^4x$ .

*Note*, If any of the Quantities  $B$ ,  $C$ ,  $D$  &c. come  
 out equal to nothing, still the Series will be true, *pro-*  
*vided* they don't destroy the Quantity  $A$ . But if  $A$   
*vanish* by reason of some of the other Quantities being  
 nothing; or if they involve some *impossible Equations*,  
 then the Series is *not* true; and you must try again by  
 assuming more Terms of the Powers or Products of  
 $x$ ,  $v$ ,  $y$ . But in many Cases it cannot be done in finite  
 Terms.

## V.

In a *fluxionary Equation* where the variable Quantity  
 is very great, and you would express the Fluent by an  
*ascending Series*: Or in any very much compounded  
 fluxionary Quantity whose Fluent is required; take a  
 given Quantity extremely *near* equal to the variable  
 Quantity; then instead of that variable Quantity *sub-*  
*stitute*

Substitute into the Equation the *Sum* of this given Quantity and a new variable Quantity, and likewise the Fluxion for the Fluxion; then find the *Fluent* in simple Terms, and this will be a *Part* of the whole *Fluent* required; and the Operation repeated as often as necessary will give the whole *Fluent*.

Ex. 37.

Let  $z = x\sqrt{aa + xx}$ ; suppose  $r$  very near equal to  $x$ , and put  $r + v = x$ , and  $aa + rr = ss$ , then  $x = v$ , and  $z = v\sqrt{aa + rr + 2rv + vv} = v\sqrt{ss + 2rv + vv}$   
 $= v\sqrt{s + \frac{2rv + vv}{2s}} = v\sqrt{s + \frac{2rv + vv^2}{8s^3} + \frac{2rv + vv^3}{16s^5} -$

$$\mathcal{E}c = v\sqrt{s + \frac{rv}{s} + \frac{ss - rr}{2s^3}v^2 - \frac{ss - rr}{2s^5}rv^3 +$$

$$\mathcal{E}c = sv + \frac{rv^2}{s} + \frac{aav^2v}{2s^3} - \frac{aavv^3v}{2s^5}\mathcal{E}c. \text{ Whence}$$

$$z = sv + \frac{rv^2}{2s} + \frac{aav^3}{6s^3} - \frac{aavv^4}{8s^5}\mathcal{E}c. \text{ Now in this,}$$

substitute  $-v$  for  $v$ , and subtract the Result from the last Equation, and then  $z = 2sv + \frac{a^2v^3}{3s^3}\mathcal{E}c$ . And this is the Part of the *Fluent* corresponding to the Difference of the Quantities  $r + v$  and  $r - v$ , or to  $2v$ , that is, to these two different Values of  $x$ . Hence if there be assumed successively the Numbers or Quantities  $b, c, d, e, f, \mathcal{E}c$ . for  $r$ , and  $v$  be taken extremely small, and it be always  $b - v = c + v$ , and  $c - v = d + v$ , and  $d - v = e + v \mathcal{E}c$ . till  $f$  (the last Value of  $r$ ) be 0; then the Sum of all the Parts corresponding to each (collected by the foregoing Series) will be the whole *Fluent*  $z$  required.

Ex. 38.

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Suppose  $\dot{z} = \frac{1}{2}\dot{x} \sqrt{\frac{pp+dd-\frac{bx}{a}}{2ax-xx}}$ ; let  $r+v=x$ .

$$\text{then } \dot{z} = \frac{1}{2}\dot{v} \sqrt{\frac{pp+dd-\frac{2dbv}{a}-\frac{2dbv}{a}+\frac{bb}{aa} \times r+v^2}{2ar+2av-rr-2rv-vv}} =$$

$$(\text{putting } ss = pp + dd - \frac{2dbv}{a} + \frac{bbrr}{aa}, t = \frac{2bbv}{aa} - \frac{2db}{a},$$

$$qq = 2ar - rr, \text{ and } n = 2a - 2r,) \frac{1}{2}\dot{v} \sqrt{\frac{ss + tv + \frac{bb}{aa}vv}{qq + nv - vv}}.$$

Then dividing the Numerator by the Denominator, and putting  $e = \frac{tqq - nss}{q^4}$ ,  $f = \frac{bb}{aaqq} + \frac{ss}{q^4} + \frac{n^2s^2 - ntq^2}{q^6}$

$$\text{we have } \dot{z} = \frac{1}{2}\dot{v} \sqrt{\frac{ss}{qq} + ev + fv^2} \mathcal{E}c. = \frac{1}{2}\dot{v} \times \frac{s}{q} +$$

$$\frac{qe}{2s}v + \frac{4qfs^2 - q^3e^2}{8s^3}v^2 \mathcal{E}c: \text{ Whence } z = \frac{sv}{2q} +$$

$$\frac{qe}{8s}v^2 + \frac{4fs^2 - q^2e^2}{24s^3}qv^3 \mathcal{E}c. \text{ In which substituting}$$

$$-v \text{ for } v, \text{ and subtracting the Result from the Equation, we have } z = \frac{sv}{q} + \frac{4fs^2 - q^2e^2}{12s^3}qv^3 + \mathcal{E}c. \text{ for}$$

that Part of the Fluent belonging to  $2v$ , or to the Difference of the Quantities  $r+v$  and  $r-v$ .

Where it is difficult to get many Terms of the Series as in this last Problem,  $v$  must be taken so much the smaller, and the Operations oftner repeated before we can obtain the whole Fluent: And the working with Numbers instead of known Letters, may sometimes be preferable, when the Quantities are very complex.

Besides



Besides the *general Rules* before delivered, there are some *particular Rules* which in some Cases will find the Fluent in *finite Terms*. As

## VI.

When one of the *variable Quantities* is wanting in the Equation: Then *assume* for its Fluxion the Product of the *other Fluxion* and a *new variable Quantity*, which substitute for the other; and you will get an Equation which put into Fluxions, will give the *Value* of the exterminated Fluxion; and then the Fluent will give the *assumed Quantity*; and from thence the *other Quantity* will be had.

Ex. 39.

Let  $yy'\dot{x} = a\dot{x}^4 + 2ax\dot{x}^3y' + ay'^4$ , where  $x$  is wanting.

Assume  $\frac{zy}{a} = \dot{x}$ , and expunging  $\dot{x}$ ,  $aazy = z^4 +$

$2a^2z^2 + a^4$ , whence  $y = \frac{z^3}{aa} + 2z + \frac{aa}{z}$ . In Fluxions

$\dot{y} = \frac{3z^2\dot{z}}{aa} + z\dot{z} - \frac{aa\dot{z}}{zz}$ , therefore  $\frac{zy}{a}$  or  $\dot{x} = \frac{3z^3\dot{z}}{a^3}$

$+ \frac{z^2\dot{z}}{a} - \frac{a\dot{z}}{z}$ . Whence the Fluent is  $x = \frac{3z^4}{4a^3} +$

$\frac{z^3}{3a} - a \times 2.302585 \text{ Log. } z$  therefore  $y$  being known,

$z$  will be known (by the Equation  $y = \frac{z^3}{aa} + 2z +$

$\frac{aa}{z}$ ), and consequently  $x$  by the last Equation.

## VII.

Sometimes the *Fluent* may be had, by first putting the Equation into *Fluxions*, making some of the Fluxions *invariable*.

Ex. 40.

Let  $\frac{ax + yx}{y} = x + y - \frac{xy}{x}$ . make  $y$  constant, and put the Equation into Fluxions, then  $\frac{a+y}{y} \ddot{x} + \dot{x} = \dot{x} + \dot{y} + \frac{xy\ddot{x} - \dot{x}^2\dot{y}}{\dot{x}^2}$ , and  $\frac{a+y}{y} \ddot{x} = \frac{xy\ddot{x}}{\dot{x}^2}$ , whence  $\overline{a+y} \cdot \dot{x}^2 = xy\dot{x}^2$ , and  $\frac{\dot{x}}{\sqrt{x}} = \frac{\dot{y}}{\sqrt{a+y}}$ , and the *Fluent* is  $\sqrt{x} = \sqrt{a+y}$ , or  $x = a+y$ .

## VIII.

Sometimes the *Fluent* may be found by *assuming* other *variable* Quantities to make up the *Fluent*, and finding their Values by help of the *given* Equations and their Fluxions.

Ex. 41.

Suppose  $y\dot{x} - x\dot{x} = a\dot{y}$ , To find  $x$ .

Divide by  $y - x$ , and  $\dot{x} = \frac{a\dot{y}}{y-x}$ . Assume  $v$ , and suppose the *Fluent*  $x = a \times 2.302585 \text{ Log. } \overline{y-x+v}$ . then will  $\dot{x} = \frac{a\dot{y} - ax + av}{y-x+v}$  (see Prob. 2. Sect. II.), and by multiplying,  $y\dot{x} - x\dot{x} + vx = a\dot{y} - ax + av$ ,  
from

from this subtract the given Equation  $y\dot{x} - x\dot{y} = a\dot{y}$ ,  
and there remains  $v\dot{x} = -a\dot{x} + a\dot{v}$ , whence if  $\dot{v}=0$ ,  
then will  $v = -a$ . therefore  $x = 2.302585a \times \text{Log.}$   
 $\frac{y-x-a}{y-x-a}$ .

Ex. 42.

Suppose  $a\dot{z} = z\dot{x} - x\dot{z}$ . Assume  $z = a + x + v$ ,  
then  $z = \dot{x} + \dot{v}$ , the Values of  $z$  and  $\dot{z}$  substituted in  
the given Equation give  $a\dot{x} + a\dot{v} = a\dot{x} + x\dot{x} + v\dot{x} - x\dot{z}$ ,  
that is  $a\dot{v} = v\dot{x}$ , or  $\dot{x} = \frac{a\dot{v}}{v}$ , whence  $x = a \times 2.302585 \times$   
 $\text{Log. } v$ , therefore  $z = a + v + a \times 2.302585 \times$   
 $\text{Log. } v$ . Or  $z = a + x + \text{Number of the Logarithm}$   
 $\frac{x}{2.30258a}$ .

Ex. 43.

Suppose  $\dot{z} = X^n x^m \dot{x}$ , where  $X$  is the Hyperbolic  
Logarithm of  $x$ . Assume  $z = \frac{X^n x^{m+1}}{m+1} + s$ ; this  
put into Fluxions there arises  $\dot{z} = X^n x^m \dot{x} +$   
 $\frac{n X^{n-1} \dot{X} x^{m+1}}{m+1} + \dot{s} = X^n x^m \dot{x}$ , therefore  $\dot{s} = \frac{-n X^{n-1} x^{m+1} \dot{X}}{m+1}$   
(writing  $\frac{\dot{x}}{x}$  for  $\dot{X}$ ); Again assume  $s = \frac{-n X^{n-1} x^{m+1}}{m+1} + t$ ,  
this in Fluxions gives  $\dot{s} = \frac{n(n-1) X^{n-2} x^{m+1} \dot{x}}{m+1} + \dot{t}$ ,  
Again  $t = \frac{n(n-1) X^{n-2} x^{m+1}}{m+1} + u$ . Whence  $\dot{u} =$   
 $\frac{-n(n-1)(n-2) X^{n-3} x^{m+1} \dot{x}}{m+1}$ , and  $u =$

$$\begin{aligned}
& - \frac{n.n-1.n-2.X^{n-3}x^{m+1}}{m+1^4} + w, \text{ \&c.} \quad \text{Whence} \\
z = & \frac{X^n x^{m+1}}{m+1} - \frac{nX^{n-1}x^{m+1}}{m+1^2} + \frac{n.n-1.X^{n-2}x^{m+1}}{m+1^3} \\
& - \frac{n.n-1.n-2.X^{n-3}x^{m+1}}{m+1^4} + \text{Etc.}
\end{aligned}$$

And thus I have explain'd, as clearly as I could, the most *general Methods* of solving this *difficult Problem*. The Reader perhaps may think me too prolix on this Head: But it must be consider'd that this is a Problem of the *greatest Extent* and *Use* in the whole Practice of Fluxions; nay it contains almost the whole Science; and we cannot be too particular in treating on that which is the *Foundation* of the greatest Part of the *Practice*. But after all we shall find it exceeding difficult in many Cases to find the Fluents of Quantities, by any Methods hitherto known. And it is much to be wish'd that we had some easier Methods of finding Fluents, especially of compound fluxionary Quantities, without the tedious Labour of reducing them to infinite Series, which in many Cases converge so slow, and are so much compounded as to be in a manner useless. The following Problem is design'd to remedy this Difficulty in some particular Cases,

### P R O P. XI.

*To find the Fluent of a given Fluxion by the Table.*

1. The following Table comprehends all Sorts of *Fluxions* and their correspondent *Fuents*; not only such as can be exactly had in *finite Terms*, and those depending on the *Quadrature* of the *Conic Sections*, but also those that can only be had by *infinite Series*.

2. These

2. These Forms are all number'd in the first Column ; the second Column contains the Fluxions, and the third gives the Fluent thereof. The 21st and all the following Forms relate to the *Transmutation* of Fluxions ; here the Fluxions in the second and third Columns are equal, the second being transform'd into the third, and the Fluxion in the third Column always belongs to some of the foregoing Forms.

3. Here  $z$ ,  $v$ ,  $y$  express *variable Quantities*, and all the rest are *given ones*, which may represent any Quantities whatsoever affirmative or negative. But in the 6th, 8th, and 10th Forms, the Nature of them requires *negative Quantities*, and therefore they are written *negative*.

4. In the second Column are set down all the *necessary Conditions* relating to the *Signs, Indices, &c.* in each Form : likewise in what Cases the *Form* will *fail*, and when the Series will *terminate*. But the Fluents in Form 11, 12, 13, and 14 are design'd always to terminate, and are derived from the foregoing ten Forms, which ten Forms may therefore be called *original Forms*.

5. In these original Forms, though the *first* of the Fluents there given may in most Cases be sufficient, yet there are several *Varieties* both of *numerical* and *geometrical Fluents* ; so that the most simple and elegant may always be chosen to suit any particular Case. It is sufficient to premise this concerning the Nature of these Forms.

## A TABLE

# A T A B L E

## OF FLUXIONS and FLUENTS.

$$L = 2.302585092994045684 \text{ \&c.}$$

$$N = .017453292519943295 \text{ \&c.}$$

Forms.	Fluxions.	Fluents.
1	$z^{n-1} \dot{z}$ <i>This Form fails</i> <i>when <math>n = 0</math>.</i>	$\frac{z^n}{n}.$
2	$z^{-1} \dot{z} = \dot{\phi}$	$\phi = L \times \text{Log: } z.$ Or $\phi = \frac{\text{Area}}{RR}$ of the Hyperbola between the Affymptotes, whose inscrib'd Parallelogram is any Space RR, and Abscissa (taken in the Affymptote) Rz or z.
3	$\alpha + \beta z^n \dot{z}^{\mu-1}$ <i>This Form fails</i> <i>when <math>\mu = -1</math>.</i>	$\frac{\alpha + \beta z^{\mu+1}}{\mu + 1. n \beta}.$
4	$\frac{z^{n-1} \dot{z}}{\alpha + \beta z^n} = \dot{\phi}$	$\phi = \frac{L}{n\beta} \times \text{Log. of } \alpha + \beta z^n.$ $\phi = \frac{\text{Area}}{n\beta RR}$ of an Hyperbola between the Affymptotes, whole inscribed Parallelogram is RR, Abscissa $\frac{\alpha}{\beta} + z^n.$

<i>Fluxions.</i>	<i>Fluents.</i>
<p>5 <math>\frac{z^{\frac{1}{2}\eta-1} \dot{z}}{\alpha + \beta z^\eta} = \dot{\phi}</math></p> <p>Here <math>\alpha</math> and <math>\beta</math> are affirmative.</p>	<p><math>\phi = \frac{2N}{\eta\sqrt{\alpha\beta}} \times \text{Degrees in that Arch of a Circle whose Radius is 1, and natural Tangent } \sqrt{\frac{\beta z^\eta}{\alpha}}.</math></p> <p><math>\phi = \frac{\text{Arch}}{\frac{1}{2}\eta R\sqrt{\alpha\beta}}</math> of a Circle whose Radius is any Line R, and Tangent <math>R\sqrt{\frac{\beta z^\eta}{\alpha}}.</math></p> <p><math>\phi = \frac{4 \text{ Sectors}}{\eta RR\sqrt{\alpha\beta}}</math> of the Circle whose Radius is R, and Tangent <math>R\sqrt{\frac{\beta z^\eta}{\alpha}}.</math></p>
<p>6 <math>\frac{z^{\frac{1}{2}\eta-1} \dot{z}}{\alpha - \beta z^\eta} = \dot{\phi}</math></p> <p>Here <math>\alpha</math> is affirmative, and <math>-\beta</math> negative.</p>	<p><math>\phi = \frac{L}{\eta\sqrt{\alpha\beta}} \times \text{Tab. Log. of } \frac{\sqrt{\alpha} + \sqrt{\beta z^\eta}}{\sqrt{\alpha} - \sqrt{\beta z^\eta}}.</math></p> <p><math>\phi = \frac{L}{\eta\sqrt{\alpha\beta}} \times \text{Log. of } \frac{\sqrt{\beta z^\eta} + \sqrt{\alpha}}{\sqrt{\beta z^\eta} - \sqrt{\alpha}}.</math></p> <p><math>\phi = \frac{L}{\eta\sqrt{\alpha\beta}} \times \text{Log. of } \frac{\alpha + \beta z^\eta + 2\sqrt{\alpha\beta z^\eta}}{\alpha - \beta z^\eta}.</math></p> <p><math>\phi = \frac{L}{\eta\sqrt{\alpha\beta}} \times \text{Log. of } \frac{\alpha - \beta z^\eta}{\alpha + \beta z^\eta - 2\sqrt{\alpha\beta z^\eta}}.</math></p> <p><math>\phi = \frac{\text{Area}}{\eta RR\sqrt{\alpha\beta}}</math> of the Hyperbola between the Assymptotes, whose inscribed Parallelogram is RR, and Abscissas (terminating this Area) <math>\sqrt{\alpha} + \sqrt{\beta z^\eta}</math> and <math>\sqrt{\alpha} - \sqrt{\beta z^\eta}.</math></p> <p><math>\phi = \frac{4 \text{ Sectors}}{\eta RR\sqrt{\alpha\beta}}</math> of a right angled Hyperbola, whose semitransverse is R, and Tangent at the Vertex <math>R\sqrt{\frac{\beta z^\eta}{\alpha}}.</math></p>

<i>Forms.</i>	<i>Fluxions.</i>
7	$\frac{z^{\frac{\delta}{\lambda}n - 1} \cdot z}{\alpha + \beta z^n}$ <p data-bbox="536 584 891 656"><i>Here <math>\alpha</math> and <math>\beta</math> are affirmative.</i></p> <p data-bbox="536 690 891 803"><math>\frac{\delta}{\lambda}</math> is an affirmative proper Fraction.</p>



*Fluents.*

$$\frac{1}{\eta a^{\frac{\lambda-d}{\lambda}} \beta^{\lambda}} \times \text{into } AL \times \text{Log. } \sqrt{1-2sx+xx} + BN \times P \\ + CL \times \text{Log. } \sqrt{1-2tx+xx} + DN \times Q \\ + EL \times \text{Log. } \sqrt{1-2ux+xx} + FN \times R \text{ \&c.}$$

$$K = \text{an Arch of } \frac{180 \text{ Deg.}}{\lambda}. \quad x = \frac{\beta z^{\eta}}{\alpha} \Big|.$$

$a, b, c, \&c = \text{Sines}$  } of  $1K, 3K, 5K \text{ \&c}$  to  $180^{\circ}$ .  
 $s, t, u, \&c = \text{Cosines}$  } Radius = 1.

$P, Q, R \text{ \&c.} = \text{Degrees of Arches whose Sines are}$

$$\frac{ax}{\sqrt{1-2sx+xx}}, \quad \frac{bx}{\sqrt{1-2tx+xx}}, \quad \frac{cx}{\sqrt{1-2ux+xx}}, \quad \text{\&c.}$$

## C A S E S.

1. If  $\frac{\delta}{\lambda} = \frac{1}{3}$ , then  $A = (-2s) - 1, B = 2a, C = 1, D = 0 = E = F \text{ \&c.}$

2. If  $\frac{\delta}{\lambda} = \frac{2}{3}$ ,  $A = (2s) 1, B = 2a, C = -1, D, E, F \text{ \&c.} = 0.$

3. If  $\frac{\delta}{\lambda} = \frac{1}{4}$ ,  $A = -2s, B = 2a, C = -2t, D = 2b,$   
 4. If  $\frac{\delta}{\lambda} = \frac{3}{4}$ ,  $A = 2s, B = 2a, C = 2t, D = 2b,$  }  $E, F \text{ \&c.} = 0.$

5. If  $\frac{\delta}{\lambda} = \frac{1}{5}$ ,  $A = -2s, B = 2a, C = -2t, D = 2b,$   
 $E = 1, F \text{ \&c.} = 0.$

6. If  $\frac{\delta}{\lambda} = \frac{2}{5}$ ,  $A = 2t, B = 2b, C = 2s, D = -2a,$   
 $E = -1, F \text{ \&c.} = 0.$

7. If  $\frac{\delta}{\lambda} = \frac{1}{6}$ ,  $A = -2s, B = 2a, C = 0, D = 2b,$   
 $E = -2u, F = 2c, \text{ \&c.} = 0.$

\&c.

<i>Forms.</i>	<i>Fluxions.</i>
8	$\frac{z^{\frac{\delta}{\lambda} \eta - 1} \dot{z}}{\alpha - \beta z^{\eta}}$ <p data-bbox="549 588 901 663"><i>Here <math>\alpha</math> is affirmative, and <math>-\beta</math> negative.</i></p> <p data-bbox="549 697 901 806"><math>\frac{\delta}{\lambda}</math> is an affirmative proper Fraction.</p>

*Fluents.*

$$\frac{1}{\eta \beta^{\lambda} \alpha^{\lambda}} \times \text{into } AL \times \text{Log. } \sqrt{1-x} + BL \times \text{Log. } \sqrt{1-2sx+xx} + CN \times P + DL \times \text{Log. } \sqrt{1-2tx+xx} + EN \times Q + FL \times \text{Log. } \sqrt{1-2ux+xx} + GN \times R \text{ \&c.}$$

$$K = \text{An Arch of } \frac{180^{\circ}}{\lambda}. \quad x = \frac{\beta z^{\eta}}{\alpha} \Big|_{\lambda}.$$

$a, b, c, \&c = \text{Sines}$  } of  $2K, 4K, 6K, \&c$  to  $180^{\circ}$ .  
 $s, t, u, \&c = \text{Cosines}$  } Radius = 1.

$P, Q, R, \&c. = \text{Degrees of Arches whose Sines are}$   
 $\frac{ax}{bx} \quad \frac{bx}{cx} \quad \frac{cx}{\&c.}$

$$\sqrt{1-2sx+xx}, \sqrt{1-2tx+xx}, \sqrt{1-2ux+xx}, \&c.$$

## C A S E S.

1. If  $\frac{\delta}{\lambda} = \frac{1}{3}$ . then  $A = -1. B = -2s. C = 2a.$

2. If  $\frac{\delta}{\lambda} = \frac{2}{3}$ .  $A = -1. B = -2s. C = -2a.$   
 $D, E \&c = 0.$

3. If  $\frac{\delta}{\lambda} = \frac{1}{4}$ .  $A = -1. B = (-2s) = 0. C = 2a. D = 1.$

4. If  $\frac{\delta}{\lambda} = \frac{3}{4}$ .  $A = -1. B = 0. C = -2a. D = 1.$   
 $E, F \&c = 0.$

5. If  $\frac{\delta}{\lambda} = \frac{1}{5}$ .  $A = -1. B = -2s. C = 2a. D = -2t. E = 2b.$

6. If  $\frac{\delta}{\lambda} = \frac{2}{5}$ .  $A = -1. B = -2t. C = 2b. D = -2s. E = -2a.$   
 $F, \&c = 0.$

7. If  $\frac{\delta}{\lambda} = \frac{1}{6}$ .  $A = -1. B = -2s. C = 2a. D = -2t.$   
 $E = 2b. F = 1. G, \&c. = 0.$   
 $\&c.$

<i>Forms.</i>	<i>Fluxions.</i>
9	$\frac{z^{\frac{1}{2}n-1} \dot{z}}{\sqrt{a + \beta z^n}} = \dot{\phi}$ <p data-bbox="559 578 859 627"><i>Here <math>\beta</math> is affirmative.</i></p>

## Fluents.

$$\phi = \frac{2L}{n\sqrt{\beta}} \times \text{Log. of } \sqrt{\beta z^n} + \sqrt{\alpha + \beta z^n} :$$

$$\phi = \frac{L}{n\sqrt{\beta}} \times \text{Log. of } \alpha + 2\beta z^n + 2\sqrt{\alpha + \beta z^n} \times \beta z^n :$$

$$\phi = \frac{-2L}{n\sqrt{\beta}} \times \text{Log. of } \sqrt{\alpha + \beta z^n} \text{ or } \sqrt{\beta z^n} .$$

$$\phi = \frac{-L}{n\sqrt{\beta}} \times \text{Log. of } \alpha + 2\beta z^n - 2\sqrt{\alpha\beta z^n} + \beta^2 z^{2n} .$$

$$\phi = \frac{4 \text{ Sectors}}{nRR\sqrt{\beta}} \text{ of the right angled Hyperbola, whose Semi-transverse is R, and Ordinate } R\sqrt{\frac{\beta z^n}{\alpha}} .$$

$$\phi = \frac{2}{nRR\sqrt{\beta}} \times \text{Sector of the right Hyperbola, whose Semi-transverse is R, and Ordinate } \frac{2R}{\alpha} \sqrt{\alpha + \beta z^n} \times \beta z^n .$$

$$\phi = \frac{2}{nRR\sqrt{\beta}} \times \text{Sector of the right Hyperbola, whose Semi-transverse is R, and Ordinate } \frac{2R}{-\alpha} \sqrt{\alpha + \beta z^n} \times \beta z^n \text{ when } \alpha \text{ stands for a negative Quantity.}$$

$$\phi = \frac{4 \text{ Sectors}}{nRR\sqrt{\beta}} \text{ of the right Hyperbola, whose Semitransverse is R, and Ordinate } \frac{R}{\sqrt{-\alpha}} \times \sqrt{\alpha + \beta z^n}, \text{ when } \alpha \text{ stands for a negative Quantity.}$$

<i>Forms.</i>	<i>Fluxions.</i>
10	$\frac{z^{\frac{1}{2}\eta - 1} \dot{z}}{\sqrt{\alpha - \beta z^\eta}} = \dot{\phi}$ <p>Here <math>\alpha</math> is affirmative, and  <math>-\beta</math> is negative.</p>

*Fluents.*

$$\phi = \frac{2N}{n\sqrt{\beta}} \times \text{Degrees in the Arch of a Circle} \\ \text{whose Radius is 1, and natural Sine } \sqrt{\frac{\beta z^n}{\alpha}}.$$

$$\phi = \frac{N}{n\sqrt{\beta}} \times \text{Degrees in the Arch whose Radius} \\ \text{is 1, and Sine } \frac{2}{\alpha} \sqrt{\alpha - \beta z^n} \times \beta z^n.$$

$$\phi = \frac{2}{nR\sqrt{\beta}} \times \text{Arch whose Radius is R, and Sine} \\ R \sqrt{\frac{\beta z^n}{\alpha}}.$$

$$\phi = \frac{\text{Arch}}{nR\sqrt{\beta}}, \text{ whose Radius is R, and Sine} \\ \frac{2R}{\alpha} \sqrt{\alpha - \beta z^n} \times \beta z^n, \text{ or verfed Sine } \frac{2R}{\alpha} \beta z^n.$$

$$\phi = \frac{4}{nRR\sqrt{\beta}} \times \text{Sector of a Circle, whose Radius} \\ \text{is any Line R, and Sine } R \sqrt{\frac{\beta z^n}{\alpha}}.$$

$$\phi = \frac{2 \text{ Sectors}}{nRR\sqrt{\beta}} \text{ of the Circle whose Radius is R, and} \\ \text{Sine } \frac{2R}{\alpha} \sqrt{\alpha \beta z^n - \beta^2 z^{2n}}.$$

<i>Forms.</i>	<i>Fluxions.</i>
<p style="text-align: center;">I I</p>	$\alpha + \beta z^{\eta} z^{\pi + \lambda \eta} \dot{z}$ <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Here <math>\lambda</math> is any affirmative whole Number.</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">N. B. This Form fails when <math>\frac{\pi + 1}{\eta} + \mu</math> is any negative whole Number from <math>-1</math> to <math>-\lambda</math> inclusive.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">I 2</p>	$\alpha + \beta z^{\eta} z^{\pi - \lambda \eta} \dot{z}$ <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Here <math>\lambda</math> is any affirmative whole Number.</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">N. B. This Form fails when <math>\frac{\pi + 1}{\eta}</math> is any affirmative whole Number from <math>1</math> to <math>\lambda</math> inclusively.</p>



*Fluents.*

$$\begin{aligned}
& \frac{-\alpha^\lambda \cdot \varepsilon - \eta \cdot \varepsilon - 2\eta \cdot \varepsilon - 3\eta \cdot \varepsilon \text{c} \dots \text{till } \varepsilon - \lambda\eta}{\beta^\lambda \cdot \delta - \eta \cdot \delta - 2\eta \cdot \delta - 3\eta \cdot \delta \text{c} \dots \text{till } \delta - \lambda\eta} \phi \\
& + \frac{z^{\varepsilon - \eta} \gamma}{\delta - \eta \cdot \beta} - \frac{\varepsilon - \eta \cdot \alpha}{\delta - 2\eta \cdot \beta z^\eta} A - \frac{\varepsilon - 2\eta \cdot \alpha}{\delta - 3\eta \cdot \beta z^\eta} B \\
& - \frac{\varepsilon - 3\eta \cdot \alpha}{\delta - 4\eta \cdot \beta z^\eta} C - \text{etc till } - \frac{\varepsilon + \eta - \lambda\eta \cdot \alpha}{\delta - \lambda\eta \cdot \beta z^\eta} F.
\end{aligned}$$

$\phi$  = Fluent of  $\alpha + \beta z^\eta \cdot z^{\pi} \dot{z}$ .

$\gamma = \alpha + \beta z^{\eta \mu + 1}$ .

$\varepsilon = \pi + 1 + \lambda\eta$ .

$\delta = \varepsilon + \eta + \mu\eta$ .

A, B, C etc, each preceding Term with its Sign.

$$\begin{aligned}
& \frac{\beta^\lambda \cdot \delta + \eta \cdot \delta + 2\eta \cdot \delta + 3\eta \cdot \delta \text{c} \dots \text{till } \delta + \lambda\eta}{-\alpha^\lambda \cdot \varepsilon + \eta \cdot \varepsilon + 2\eta \cdot \varepsilon + 3\eta \cdot \varepsilon \text{c} \dots \text{till } \varepsilon + \lambda\eta} \phi \\
& + \frac{z^{\varepsilon + \eta} \gamma}{\varepsilon + \eta \cdot \alpha} - \frac{\delta + \eta \cdot \beta z^\eta}{\varepsilon + 2\eta \cdot \alpha} A - \frac{\delta + 2\eta \cdot \beta z^\eta}{\varepsilon + 3\eta \cdot \alpha} B \\
& - \frac{\delta + 3\eta \cdot \beta z^\eta}{\varepsilon + 4\eta \cdot \alpha} C - \text{etc till } - \frac{\delta - \eta + \lambda\eta \cdot \beta z^\eta}{\varepsilon + \lambda\eta \cdot \alpha} F.
\end{aligned}$$

$\phi$  = Fluent of  $\alpha + \beta z^\eta \cdot z^{\pi} \dot{z}$ .

$\gamma = \alpha + \beta z^{\eta \mu + 1}$ .

$\varepsilon = \pi + 1 - \lambda\eta - \eta$ .

$\delta = \varepsilon + \mu\eta + \eta$ .

A, B, C etc, each preceding Term with its Sign.

<i>Forms.</i>	<i>Fluxions.</i>
13	$\frac{\mu + \tau}{\alpha + \beta z^\eta} z^\pi \dot{z}$
	<p><i>Here <math>\tau</math> is any affirmative whole Number.</i></p>
	<p>N. B. This Form fails when <math>\frac{\pi + 1}{\eta} + \mu</math> is any negative whole Number from <math>-1</math> to <math>-\tau</math> inclusively.</p>
14	$\frac{\mu - \tau}{\alpha + \beta z^\eta} z^\pi \dot{z}$
	<p><i>Here <math>\tau</math> is any affirmative whole Number.</i></p>
	<p>N. B. This Form will fail when <math>\mu + 1</math> is any affirmative whole Number, from <math>1</math> to <math>\tau</math> inclusive.</p>

## Fluents.

$$\frac{\eta^{\pi} \alpha^{\tau} \cdot \overline{\mu+1} \cdot \overline{\mu+2} \cdot \overline{\mu+3} \cdot \mathcal{E}c. \dots \text{till } \overline{\mu+\tau}}{\delta+1 \cdot \delta+2 \eta \cdot \delta+3 \eta \cdot \mathcal{E}c. \dots \text{till } \delta+\tau \eta} \phi$$

$$+ \frac{z^{\pi+1} \gamma^{\mu+\tau}}{\delta+1 \tau \eta} + \frac{\overline{\mu+\tau} \cdot \eta \alpha}{\delta+1 \tau \eta - \eta \cdot \gamma} A + \frac{\overline{\mu+\tau-1} \cdot \eta \alpha}{\delta+1 \tau \eta - 2 \eta \cdot \gamma} B$$

$$+ \frac{\overline{\mu+\tau-2} \cdot \eta \alpha}{\delta+1 \tau \eta - 3 \eta \cdot \gamma} C + \mathcal{E}c. \text{ untill } \frac{\overline{\mu+2} \cdot \eta \alpha}{\delta+1 \eta \cdot \gamma} F.$$

$$\phi = \text{Fluent of } \overline{\alpha + \beta z^{\eta}}^{\mu} z^{\pi} \dot{z}.$$

$$\gamma = \alpha + \beta z^{\eta}.$$

$$\delta = \pi + 1 + \mu \eta.$$

A, B, C,  $\mathcal{E}c$ , each preceding Term with its Sign.

$$\frac{\delta \cdot \overline{\delta-1} \cdot \overline{\delta-2} \eta \cdot \overline{\delta-3} \eta \cdot \mathcal{E}c. \dots \text{till } \overline{\delta+1} \eta - \tau \eta}{\eta^{\tau} \alpha^{\tau} \mu \cdot \overline{\mu-1} \cdot \overline{\mu-2} \cdot \overline{\mu-3} \cdot \mathcal{E}c. \dots \text{till } \overline{\mu+1} - \tau} \phi$$

$$- \frac{z^{\pi+1} \gamma^{\mu-\tau+1}}{\mu-\tau+1 \cdot \eta \alpha} + \frac{\overline{\delta-\tau \eta+1} \cdot \gamma}{\mu-\tau+2 \cdot \eta \alpha} A + \frac{\overline{\delta-\tau \eta+2} \cdot \gamma}{\mu-\tau+3 \cdot \eta \alpha} B$$

$$+ \frac{\overline{\delta-\tau \eta+3} \cdot \gamma}{\mu-\tau+4 \cdot \eta \alpha} C + \mathcal{E}c \text{ till } \frac{\overline{\delta-\eta} \cdot \gamma}{\mu \eta \alpha} F.$$

$$\phi = \text{Fluent of } \overline{\alpha + \beta z^{\eta}}^{\mu} z^{\pi} \dot{z}.$$

$$\gamma = \alpha + \beta z^{\eta}.$$

$$\delta = \pi + 1 + \mu \eta.$$

A, B, C,  $\mathcal{E}c$ , each preceding Term with its Sign.

Forms.	Fluxions.
15	$\overline{a + \beta z^n}^\mu z^\pi \dot{z}$ <p><i>This Series will terminate when <math>\frac{\pi+1}{n} + \mu</math> is any negative whole Number.</i></p> <p>N. B. <i>This Form fails when <math>\frac{\pi+1}{n}</math> is any negative whole Number whatsoever.</i></p>
16	$\overline{a + \beta z^n}^\mu z^\pi \dot{z}$ <p><i>This Series will terminate only when <math>\mu</math> is any affirmative whole Number.</i></p>
17	$\overline{a + \beta z^n}^\mu z^\pi \dot{z} \times \text{into}$ $e + fz^n + gz^{2n} + hz^{3n} \&c.$ <p><i>Here <math>\mu</math> and <math>\pi</math> must each be greater than <math>-1</math>. Also <math>z</math> and <math>\overline{a + \beta z^n}^{\mu+1}</math> must be one of them <math>= 0</math> at the beginning of the Fluent, the other <math>= 0</math> at the end of it.</i></p> <p><i>This Series will terminate when <math>\frac{\pi+1}{n}</math> is any negative Number whatever.</i></p>

*Fluents.*

$$\frac{z^{\pi}}{\varepsilon \alpha} - \frac{\delta + \eta}{\varepsilon + \eta} Aq - \frac{\delta + 2\eta}{\varepsilon + 2\eta} Bq - \frac{\delta + 3\eta}{\varepsilon + 3\eta} Cq \\ - \frac{\delta + 4\eta}{\varepsilon + 4\eta} Dq - \mathcal{E}c \times \text{into } \overline{\alpha + \beta z^{\eta}}^{\mu + 1}.$$

$$\varepsilon = \pi + 1.$$

$$\delta = \varepsilon + \mu \eta.$$

$$q = \frac{\beta z^{\eta}}{\alpha}.$$

A, B, C  $\mathcal{E}c$ , each preceding Term with its Sign.

$$\frac{\alpha^{\mu} z^{\pi + 1}}{\pi + 1} + \frac{\mu Aq}{\pi + 1 + \eta} + \frac{\frac{\mu - 1}{2} Bq}{\pi + 1 + 2\eta} + \frac{\frac{\mu - 2}{3} Cq}{\pi + 1 + 3\eta} \\ + \frac{\frac{\mu - 3}{4} Dq}{\pi + 1 + 4\eta} + \frac{\frac{\mu - 4}{5} E q}{\pi + 1 + 5\eta} + \mathcal{E}c. \\ q = \frac{\beta z^{\eta}}{\alpha}.$$

A, B, C  $\mathcal{E}c$  are the Numerators of each preceding Term with its Sign.

$$\Phi \times : e - \frac{f \varepsilon \alpha}{\delta + \eta \cdot \beta} - \frac{g \cdot \overline{\varepsilon + \eta \cdot \alpha}}{f \cdot \delta + 2\eta \cdot \beta} A - \frac{h \cdot \overline{\varepsilon + 2\eta \cdot \alpha}}{g \cdot \delta + 3\eta \cdot \beta} B \\ - \frac{k \cdot \overline{\varepsilon + 3\eta \cdot \alpha}}{h \cdot \delta + 4\eta \cdot \beta} C, \mathcal{E}c.$$

$$\varepsilon = \pi + 1.$$

$$\delta = \pi + 1 + \mu \eta.$$

$$\Phi = \text{Fluent of } \overline{\alpha + \beta z^{\eta}}^{\mu} z^{\pi} z.$$

A, B, C  $\mathcal{E}c$ , each preceding Term with its Sign.

Forms.	Fluxions.
18	$\frac{e + fz^n + gz^{2n} + hz^{3n} \&c}{\alpha + \beta z^n + \gamma z^{2n} + \delta z^{3n} \&c} \times \text{into } z^\pi \dot{z}.$ <p>N. B. This Form will fail when <math>\frac{\pi + 1}{n}</math> is any negative whole Number whatever.</p>
19	$\overline{mzy + nyz} \times z^{n-1} y^{m-1}$ <p>or <math>\frac{my}{y} + \frac{nz}{z} \times z^n y^m</math></p>
20	$rzy\dot{v} + mzy\dot{y} + nyv\dot{z} \times \text{into } z^{n-1} y^{m-1} v^{r-1}.$

*Fluents.*

$$+ \frac{e}{p\alpha}$$

$$+ \frac{f \frac{-p}{-m\eta} \} \beta A}{p + \eta \cdot \alpha} z^\eta$$

$$+ \frac{g \frac{-p}{-2m\eta} \} \gamma A \frac{-p+\eta}{-m\eta} \} \beta B}{p + 2\eta \cdot \alpha} z^{2\eta}$$

$$+ \frac{h \frac{-p}{-3m\eta} \} \delta A \frac{-p+\eta}{-2m\eta} \} \gamma B \frac{-p+2\eta}{-m\eta} \} \beta C}{p + 3\eta \cdot \alpha} z^{3\eta}$$

$$+ \frac{i \frac{-p}{-4m\eta} \} \epsilon A \frac{-p+\eta}{-3m\eta} \} \delta B \frac{-p+2\eta}{-2m\eta} \} \gamma C \frac{-p+3\eta}{-m\eta} \} \beta D}{p + 4\eta \cdot \alpha} z^{4\eta}$$

$$+ \mathcal{E}c \times \text{into } z^p \times \alpha + \beta z^\eta + \gamma z^{2\eta} + \delta z^{3\eta} \mathcal{E}c^{\mu+1}$$

$$p = \pi + 1.$$

$$m = \mu + 1.$$

A, B, C  $\mathcal{E}c$ , the Coefficients of the 1st, 2d, 3d  $\mathcal{E}c$ .<sup>u</sup>  
Terms respectively.

$$z^\eta y^m.$$

$$z^\eta y^m v^r.$$

Forms.	Given Fluxions
21	$\overline{e + fz^{\theta^m} z^{\lambda\theta-1} \dot{z}}$ <p><i>λ is any whole number whatever.</i></p>
22	$\frac{z^{\lambda\theta-1} \dot{z}}{\overline{e + fz^{\theta} \times g + bz^{\theta}}}$
23	$\overline{e + fz^{\theta^m} \times g + bz^{\theta^r} z^{\lambda\theta-1} \dot{z}}$ <p><i>Here λ is any whole Number greater than 0. r is half of any whole Number whatever.</i></p>
24	$\frac{\overline{e + fz^{\theta^m} z^{\lambda\theta-1} \dot{z}}}{\overline{g + bz^{\theta^{m+r}}}}$ <p><i>Here λ is any whole Number greater than 0. r is any positive whole Number whatever (except when both λ and r are 0).</i></p>



*Transform'd into others.*

$$\frac{v^{\lambda-1}}{v-e} \times \frac{v^m \dot{v}}{\theta f^\lambda}.$$

$$v = e + fz^\theta.$$

$$\frac{fz^{\lambda\theta-1}\dot{z}}{p.e+fz^\theta} - \frac{hz^{\lambda\theta-1}\dot{z}}{p.g+hz^\theta}.$$

$$p = fg - eh.$$

$$\frac{v^{\lambda-1}}{v-e} \times p + \frac{bv}{f} \Big|' \times \frac{v^m \dot{v}}{\theta f^\lambda}.$$

$$p = g - \frac{eh}{f}.$$

$$v = e + fz^\theta.$$

$$\frac{v^{\lambda-1}}{gv-e} \times \frac{f-hv^{r-\lambda-1} v^m \dot{v}}{\theta p^{r-1}}.$$

$$p = fg - eh.$$

$$v = \frac{e + fz^\theta}{g + hz^\theta}.$$

<i>Forms.</i>	<i>Fluxions</i>
25	$\frac{e + fz^{\theta m} z^{\theta-1} \dot{z}}{k + lz^{\theta} \cdot g + hz^{\theta} \dot{z}}^{m+r}$ <p>Here <math>r</math> is any affirmative whole Number whatsoever.</p>
26	$\frac{z^{\lambda\theta-1} \dot{z}}{e + fz^{\theta} + gz^{2\theta}}$ <p>N.B. This Form fails when <math>4eg</math> is greater than <math>ff</math>.</p>
27	$\frac{e + fz^{\theta} + gz^{2\theta m} z^{\lambda\theta-1} \dot{z}}{}$ <p><math>\lambda</math> is any positive whole Number greater than 0.  <math>m</math> is the half of any whole Number.</p>
28	$\frac{z^{\lambda\theta-1} \dot{z}}{e + fz^{\theta} + gz^{2\theta}}$ <p>Here <math>e</math> and <math>g</math> are affirmative.  <math>\lambda</math> is the half of any affirmative whole Number greater than 1.</p> <p>N.B. This Form fails when <math>ff</math> is greater than <math>4eg</math>.</p>

*Transform'd.*

$$\frac{\overline{f-bv^r}}{\theta lb^r} \times \frac{av^m \dot{v}}{d+av} + \frac{\overline{f-bv^{r-1}bv^m \dot{v}}}{\theta lb^r}.$$

$$a = gl - kb.$$

$$b = fg - eb.$$

$$d = fk - el.$$

$$v = \frac{e + fz^3}{g + bz^3}.$$

$$\frac{g}{p} \times \frac{z^{\lambda\theta-1} \dot{z}}{\frac{f-p}{z} + gz^{\theta}} - \frac{g}{p} \times \frac{z^{\lambda\theta-1} \dot{z}}{\frac{f+p}{z} + gz^{\theta}}.$$

$$p = \sqrt{ff - 4eg}.$$

$$\frac{\overline{v - \frac{1}{2}f}^{\lambda-1}}{\theta g^{\lambda}} \times p + \frac{v^2}{g} \Bigg| v^m.$$

$$p = e - \frac{ff}{4g}.$$

$$v = \frac{1}{2}f + gz^{\theta}.$$

$$\frac{\overline{v + \frac{1}{2}s}^{2\lambda-2}}{\theta s g^{2\lambda-3}} \times \frac{\dot{v}}{p + v^2} - \frac{\overline{V - \frac{1}{2}s}^{2\lambda-2}}{\theta s g^{2\lambda-3}} \times \frac{\dot{V}}{p + V^2}.$$

$$p = \frac{1}{4}fg + \frac{1}{2}g\sqrt{eg}.$$

$$s = \sqrt{2g\sqrt{eg} - fg}.$$

$$v = -\frac{1}{2}s + gz^{\frac{1}{2}\theta}.$$

$$V = +\frac{1}{2}s + gz^{\frac{1}{2}\theta}.$$

Forms.	Fluxions
29	$\frac{z^{\lambda\theta-1} \dot{z}}{\overline{b + kz^{\theta}} \times \overline{e + fz^{\theta} + gz^{2\theta}}}$ <p>N.B. This Form fails when <math>4eg</math> is greater than <math>ff</math>.</p>
30	$\frac{z^{\lambda\theta-1} \dot{z}}{\overline{k + lz^{\theta}} \times \overline{e + fz^{\theta} + gz^{2\theta}}}$ <p>Here <math>\lambda</math> is any affirmative whole Number greater than 0.</p>
31	$\frac{z^{\lambda\theta-1} \dot{z}}{\overline{k + lz^{\theta}} \times \overline{e + fz^{\theta} + gz^{2\theta}}}$ <p>Here <math>e</math> and <math>g</math> are affirmative.</p> <p><math>\lambda</math> is the half of any affirmative whole Number greater than 2.</p> <p>N.B. This Form fails when <math>ff</math> is greater than <math>4eg</math>.</p>

*Transform'd.*

$$\frac{gkkz^{\lambda\theta-1}z}{cd.b+kz^{\theta}} + \frac{ggz^{\lambda\theta-1}z}{pd.b+gz^{\theta}} - \frac{ggz^{\lambda\theta-1}z}{pc.a+gz^{\theta}}.$$

$$p = \sqrt{ff-4eg}.$$

$$a = \frac{f-p}{2}.$$

$$b = \frac{f+p}{2}.$$

$$c = ak - gb.$$

$$d = bk - gb.$$

$$\frac{llz^{\lambda\theta-1}z}{t.k+lz^{\theta}} + \frac{(v-\frac{1}{2}f)^{\lambda-1}}{\theta tg^{\lambda-1}} \times \frac{av-lwv}{p+v^2}.$$

$$a = gk - \frac{1}{2}lf.$$

$$p = eg - \frac{1}{4}ff.$$

$$t = ell - fkl + gkk.$$

$$v = \frac{1}{2}f + gz^{\theta}.$$

$$-\frac{lkz^{\lambda\theta-1}z}{t.k+lz^{\theta}} + \frac{(v+\frac{1}{2}s)^{2\lambda-3}}{2\theta stg^{2\lambda-3}} \times \frac{-2qvv+rsv}{p+v^2} \\ + \frac{(V-\frac{1}{2}s)^{2\lambda-3}}{2\theta stg^{2\lambda-3}} \times \frac{2qVV+rsV}{p+V^2}.$$

$$p = \frac{1}{2}g\sqrt{eg} + \frac{1}{4}fg.$$

$$q = l\sqrt{eg} - gk.$$

$$r = l\sqrt{eg} + gk.$$

$$s = \sqrt{2g\sqrt{eg} - fg}.$$

$$t = ell - fkl + gkk.$$

$$v = -\frac{1}{2}s + gz^{\frac{1}{2}\theta}.$$

$$V = +\frac{1}{2}s + gz^{\frac{1}{2}\theta}.$$

Forms.	Fluxions
32	$\frac{z^{\theta-1} \dot{z}}{k + lz^{\theta} \cdot e + fz^{\theta} + gz^{2\theta}}^m$ <p data-bbox="412 517 951 588"><i>Here m is half of any positive whole Number.</i></p>
33	$\frac{z^{\lambda\theta-1} \dot{z} \cdot e + fz^{\theta}}{h + kz^{\theta} + lz^{2\theta}}$ <p data-bbox="412 1048 951 1118"><i>Here <math>\lambda</math> is any affirmative whole Number greater than 0.</i></p> <p data-bbox="412 1273 951 1344"><i>N. B. This Form fails when <math>abl</math> is greater than <math>kk</math>.</i></p>

*Transform'd.*

$$\frac{\overline{lv - \frac{1}{2}b}^{2m-1}}{-n} \times \frac{\dot{v}}{ap + av^2)^m}.$$

$$a = ell - fkl + gkk.$$

$$b = fl - 2gk.$$

$$p = eg - \frac{1}{4}ff.$$

$$v = \frac{el - \frac{1}{2}fk + \frac{1}{2}bz^{\theta}}{k + lz^{\theta}}.$$

$$\frac{l \times \overline{v - e}^{\lambda-1}}{\theta p f^{\lambda-1}} \times \frac{v^m \dot{v}}{\frac{k-p}{2}f - le + lv}$$

$$- \frac{l \times \overline{v - e}^{\lambda-1}}{\theta p f^{\lambda-1}} \times \frac{v^m \dot{v}}{\frac{k+p}{2}f - le + lv}.$$

$$p = \sqrt{k k - 4 b l}.$$

$$v = e + fz^{\theta}.$$

Forms.	Fluxions
34	$\frac{z^{\lambda\theta-1}\dot{z} \times \overline{e+fz^{\theta}}^m}{b+kz^{\theta}+lz^{2\theta}}$ <p><i>Here b and l are affirmative.</i></p> <p><math>\lambda</math> is any positive whole Number greater than 0.  <math>m</math> is the half of any affirmative odd Number.</p> <p>N.B. This Form fails when <math>kk</math> is greater than <math>4bl</math>, or when <math>a</math> is negative.</p>
35	$\frac{z^{\lambda\theta-1}\dot{z}}{\overline{b+kz^{\theta}+lz^{2\theta}} \times \overline{e+fz^{\theta}}^m}$ <p><i>Here b and l are affirmative.</i></p> <p><math>\lambda</math> is any positive whole Number less than <math>m+1</math>.  <math>m</math> is the half of any positive odd Number.</p> <p>N.B. This Form will fail when <math>kk</math> is greater than <math>4bl</math>, or when <math>a</math> is negative.</p>



*Transform'd.*

$$\frac{vv - sv + q^{\lambda-1} \times v - \frac{1}{2}s^{2m}}{\theta s f^{\lambda-2} l^{2\lambda+2m-3}} \times \frac{\dot{v}}{p + vv}$$

$$- \frac{VV + sV + q^{\lambda-1} \times V - \frac{1}{2}s^{2m}}{\theta s f^{\lambda-2} l^{2\lambda+2m-3}} \times \frac{\dot{V}}{p + VV}.$$

$$a = ff b - e f k + e c l.$$

$$b = f k - 2 c l.$$

$$s = \sqrt{2 l \sqrt{a l} - b l}.$$

$$p = l \sqrt{a l} - \frac{1}{4} s s.$$

$$q = \frac{1}{4} s s - e l l.$$

$$v = -\frac{1}{2} s + l \sqrt{e + f z^3}.$$

$$V = +\frac{1}{2} s + l \sqrt{e + f z^3}.$$

$$+ \frac{-e V V + e s V + q^{\lambda-1} \times V - \frac{1}{2}s^{2m-2\lambda+2}}{\theta s f^{\lambda-2} a^m l^m} \times \frac{\dot{V}}{p + V^2}$$

$$- \frac{-e v v - e s v + q^{\lambda-1} \times v - \frac{1}{2}s^{2m-2\lambda+2}}{\theta s f^{\lambda-2} a^m l^m} \times \frac{\dot{v}}{p + v^2}.$$

$$a = ff b - e f k + e c l.$$

$$b = f k - 2 c l.$$

$$s = \sqrt{2 l \sqrt{a l} - b l}.$$

$$p = l \sqrt{a l} - \frac{1}{4} s s.$$

$$q = a l - \frac{1}{4} s s e.$$

$$v = -\frac{1}{2} s + \sqrt{\frac{a l}{e + f z^3}}.$$

$$V = +\frac{1}{2} s + \sqrt{\frac{a l}{e + f z^3}}.$$

*The Use of the foregoing Table of  
Fluxions.*

1. **W**HEN it is required to find the Fluent of a given Fluxion, by this Table; it must first be found out to what *Form* it belongs. To this End *substitute*  $n$  or  $\theta$  (as the Case requires) for the *numeral Index*, and then it may be compared with the several Forms in the Table. Or the given Fluxion may (and often must) be *reduced* to another Expression, by dividing it by the highest Power in the Radical, (that is by taking the highest Power of the variable Quantity out of the Radical) and affecting the other Quantities with it; by which Means the Fluxion will acquire a new Form and Expression, for the Sign of the Index will be changed, (*and this I call reducing the Index*). Then substitute  $n$  or  $\theta$  for the numeral Index, and see what Form in the Table it will agree to.

2. If the Fluxion, then, is a Binomial, you must first try if the Fluent of either Expression can be had in *finite Terms* by Form 3d or 15th, (which may always be known by the Notes in the second Column); if it cannot, then try whether it can be had in finite Terms by any other of the Forms for Binomials, which will be easy by comparing the Indices. If it fall under the 11th, 12th, 13th, or 14th Form, there will be required two (or perhaps three) Operations, whereof the *first* is always for the Fluent of the *original Fluxion*, and is to be found by some of the first ten Forms. But if it cannot be found in finite Terms by these Forms, then the *last Recourse* is to the 15th, 16th, 17th, or 18th Form, as best suits the Case.

3. Having found to what Form (or Forms) the Fluxion belongs, you have no more to do but only to *write* the respective *Values* of the *general Quantities* in the Fluent belonging to that *Form*, and multiply the

the *Result* by such given Quantities as the given *Fluxion* was multiplied into. and you have the *Fluent*.

4. And in compound Binomials, or Trinomials, such as belong to the 2<sup>ist</sup> and following Forms, since these are transformed into single binomial Fluxions, standing in the third Column; therefore you must proceed with these according to the foregoing Directions for Binomials; and the Fluents of these (single) Binomials being found, will be the Fluents of the Trinomial or compound Binomial Fluxions in the second Column, respectively.

5. But there are several Sorts of compound Fluxions which cannot be resolved without some further Reduction. Now there are these two other Ways of reducing a given Fluxion to a different Form or Expression. The first is actually to multiply by any Power of the Quantity under the Vinculum (in any Binomial or Trinomial Surd) and then lessen the Index of that Surd by the same Power if it is in the Numerator, or increase it in the Denominator: This alters the Power of the surd Quantity. The other way is actually to divide by the Quantity under the Vinculum, and then lessen the Index of that Surd by 1 if it be in the Denominator, or increase it by 1 if it is in the Numerator: This alters the Dimension of the simple variable Quantity. And in both you will have the more Terms according as you multiply by a greater Power, or continue your Division the further. But the last Term only will be of a like Form with the given Fluxion, differing only in the Index of the Surd, or of the variable Quantity.

6. Therefore in any Fluxion, but especially in compound Binomials and Trinomials, if there be a Surd in the Numerator you may *lessen* its Dimension at Pleasure, (or take it quite out of the Numerator) if you *multiply* by *some Power* of the Quantity under the Vinculum, and *lessen* its Index by the *same Power*.

7. Also in any given Fluxion, if the Index of the simple variable Quantity be too high, (as  $2\theta$ ,  $3\theta$ ,  $r\theta$ ,  $\&c$ ) or when it is too low or Negative, (as  $-1$ ,  $-\theta$ ,  $-2\theta$ ,  $\&c$ ) it may be altered at Pleasure, by *dividing* by some rational compound Quantity in the Denominator if there is any, or else by the Quantity under the Vinculum, and *subtracting* 1 from its Index, if it is in the *Denominator*, or *adding* 1 in the *Numerator*; and continuing the Division to a proper Number of Places.

By these Operations the given Fluxion is reduced to several Terms, all which (except the last) must be still farther reduced if there be Occasion by repeating the same Method, till at last all the resulting Terms will fall under some or other of the Forms in the Table; Examples whereof will follow afterwards. By these Sorts of Reduction a given Fluxion is prepared for a Solution, when it does not fall directly at first under any of the Forms.

8. In Form 16th, when the *Denominator* of any Term happens to be 0, that particular Term must be found thus; take the *known Part* of the Numerator, (that is leaving out the capital Letter and the Powers of  $z$ ) and *multiply* it into  $2.3025851 \text{ Log. } z$ , and you have that Term. And the said known Part of the Numerator will be the Value of the capital Letter in the next following Term.

9. Though these Forms contain Variety of logarithmic Fluents, yet each of them may be changed several Ways into different Quantities. Thus, when a Logarithm is in the Fluent, you may multiply (the *Number* whose Log. is there) and then divide it by some compound Quantity, which you see will make it simpler: Or you may square it and take half the Logarithm: Or you may extract the square Root and take double the Logarithm: Or you may multiply or divide it by any given Quantity: Or make the Numerator and Denominator change Places, and then

then change the Sign of the Logarithm, &c. And thus you may always find the simplest Expression for the Logarithmic Quantity.

10. And if you have an untractable Fluxion that will answer to none of the Forms, it may sometimes be *transformed* into others, by Prop. IX, which may then be resolved by the Table.

The following Examples will make the Process very plain.

## Example 1.

To find the Fluent of  $\frac{x\dot{x}}{xx-aa}$ .

Here  $n=2$ , by which expunging the numeral Index, the Fluxion will be reduced to  $\frac{x^{\eta-1}\dot{x}}{-aa+x^{\eta}}$ , which is a Fluxion belonging to the 4th Form. Therefore  $\alpha = -aa$ ,  $\beta=1$ ,  $z=x$ , and  $\frac{2.3025}{\eta\beta} \times \text{Log. of}$   
 $\frac{\alpha+\beta z^{\eta}}{2} = \frac{2.3025}{2} \times \text{Log. } \frac{xx-aa}{xx-aa} = 2.3025851 \times$   
 $\text{Log. } \sqrt{x^2-a^2}$ , the Fluent required.

## Ex. 2.

Let the Fluxion  $\frac{r\dot{x}}{\sqrt{bb+xx}}$  be given.

Here  $n=2$ ; whence the Fluxion will be reduced to  $\frac{r\dot{x}^{\frac{1}{2}\eta-1}\dot{x}}{\sqrt{bb+x^{\eta}}}$ , a Fluxion of the 9th Form; whence  $\alpha=bb$ ,  $\beta=1$ ,  $z=x$ , and  $\phi=2.30258 \text{ Log: } x+\sqrt{bb+xx}$ :  
 $= \text{Fluent of } \frac{\dot{x}}{\sqrt{bb+xx}}$ ; therefore the Fluent of  
 $\frac{r\dot{x}}{\sqrt{bb+xx}} = 2.302585 r \times \text{Log: } x+\sqrt{bb+xx}$ :

## Ex. 3.

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To find the Fluent of  $\frac{bx^{\frac{1}{3}}\dot{x}}{c-ax^{\frac{2}{3}}\dot{x}}$ .

Here  $\eta = \frac{2}{3}$ , and the Fluxion becomes  $\overline{c-ax^{\frac{2}{3}}}\dot{x}^{-\frac{1}{3}} \times bx^{\frac{1}{3}}\dot{x}$ , which belongs to Form the 3d and 11th. Or rather thus, by taking  $x^{\frac{1}{3}}$  out of the Radical, the Fluxion becomes  $\overline{-a+cx^{-\frac{2}{3}}}\dot{x}^{-\frac{1}{3}} \times bx^{-\frac{1}{3}}\dot{x}$ , which belongs to Form 15th. Here  $\alpha = -a$ ,  $\beta = c$ ,  $z = x$ ,  $\eta = -\frac{2}{3}$ ,  $\mu = -\frac{3}{5}$ ,  $\pi = -\frac{1}{15}$ ,  $\epsilon = \frac{4}{15}$ ,  $\delta = \frac{4}{3}$ . Then since  $\frac{\pi+1}{\eta} + \mu = -2$  a negative whole Number, therefore the Fluent will be had in finite Terms, and is  $= b \times: -\frac{15x^{\frac{1}{3}}}{14a} - \frac{75cx^{\frac{4}{3}}}{28aa} : \times \overline{-a+cx^{-\frac{2}{3}}}\dot{x}^{\frac{2}{3}} = -\frac{30abx^{\frac{2}{3}}+75bc}{28aa} \times c-ax^{\frac{2}{3}}$ , the Fluent required.

Ex. 4.

To find the Fluent of  $\frac{bz\dot{z}}{z\sqrt{zz-cc}}$ .

This belongs to Form the 12th, having by Form the 3d the Fluent of  $\frac{bz\dot{z}}{\sqrt{zz-cc}}$ ; in which Case,  $\pi=1$ ,  $\eta=2$ , and  $-1=1-2=\pi-\eta$ , and the given Fluxion becomes  $\frac{bz^{\pi-\eta}}{\sqrt{-c^2+z^{\eta}}}$ . But since  $\frac{\pi+1}{\eta} = 1$ , therefore the Fluent cannot be had by Form 12th. Wherefore I reduce it to  $\frac{bz^2\dot{z}}{\sqrt{1-ccz^{-2}}}$ , which is a Fluxion of the 10th Form, where  $\eta = -2$ ,  $\alpha = 1$ ,  $\beta = -cc$ ; and the Fluent  $= -\frac{b}{c} \times 017453$  Degrees of the Arch whose Sine is  $\frac{c}{z}$ .

Ex. 5.

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Let the Fluent of  $\frac{ax}{x} \sqrt{2ax+xx}$ , or  $ax^{\frac{1}{2}-1} \dot{x} \sqrt{2a+x}$  be required.

This belongs to the 9th and 13th Forms. To get the Fluent of  $\frac{x^{\frac{1}{2}-1} \dot{x}}{\sqrt{2a+x}}$  by Form 9th; here  $a=2a$ ,  $\beta=1$ ,  $z=x$ ,  $\eta=1$ : Whence the Fluent  $= 2.3025 \text{ Log: } a+x + \sqrt{2ax+xx} : = \phi$ . The given Fluxion therefore would become  $ax^{\pi} \dot{x} \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{2a+x}^{\mu+\tau}}$ . Where  $\pi = -\frac{1}{2}$ ,  $\mu = -\frac{1}{2}$ ,  $\tau = 1$ ,  $\alpha = 2a$ ,  $\beta = 1$ ,  $\eta = 1$ ,  $z = x$ ,  $\gamma = 2a+x$ ,  $\delta = 0$ : And the Fluent of  $x^{-\frac{1}{2}} \dot{x} \sqrt{2a+x}$  is  $= a\phi + x^{\frac{1}{2}} \sqrt{2a+x}$ , by Form 13th: And the Fluent of  $ax^{-\frac{1}{2}} \dot{x} \sqrt{2a+x} = aa\phi + a\sqrt{2ax+xx}$ .

Ex. 6.

To find the Fluent of  $\frac{bz^2 \dot{z}}{aa - \frac{aa}{bb} z^2}$ .

This will be had by Form 6th and 11th. To find the Fluent of  $\frac{\dot{z}}{aa - \frac{aa}{bb} z^2}$  by Form 6th. Here

$\alpha = aa$ ,  $\beta = \frac{aa}{bb}$ ,  $\eta = 2$ , then the Fluent is  $= \frac{b}{2aa} \times$

$2.3025 \text{ Log. } \frac{a + \frac{a}{b} z}{a - \frac{a}{b} z} = \frac{b}{aa} \times 2.3025 \times \text{Log. } \sqrt{\frac{b+z}{b-z}}$

$= \phi$ . Then by Form 11th,  $\alpha = aa$ ,  $\beta = -\frac{aa}{bb}$ ,

$\mu = -1$ ,  $\pi = 0$ ,  $\lambda = 1$ ,  $\gamma = 1$ ,  $\epsilon = 3$ ,  $\delta = 3$ ,

whence the Fluent of  $\frac{z^2 \dot{z}}{aa - \frac{aa}{bb} z^2}$  is  $= \frac{-aa \times 1}{-\frac{aa}{bb} \times 1} \phi$

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$$+ \frac{bbz}{-aa} = bb\phi - \frac{bb}{aa}z: \text{ and consequently the Fluent}$$

$$\text{of } \frac{bz^2z}{aa - \frac{aa}{bb}z^2} \text{ is } = b^3\phi - \frac{b^3}{aa}z = \frac{b^4}{aa} \times 2.3025 \times$$

$$\text{Log: } \sqrt{\frac{b+z}{b-z}}: - \frac{b^3}{aa}z.$$

Ex. 7.

To find the Fluent of  $bx\sqrt{\frac{4a-3x}{a-x}}$ .

This by Form 23d is transformed into  $b \times \frac{v^{-\frac{1}{2}}\dot{v}}{-1}$ . Where  $\lambda=1$ ,  $e+fx^2=a-x=v$ ,  $g+bz^2=4a-3x$ ,  $p=a$ : By Form the 9th the Fluent of  $\frac{v^{-\frac{1}{2}}\dot{v}}{\sqrt{a+3v}}$  is  $\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \times 2.30258 \times \text{Log: } \sqrt{3v+\sqrt{a+3v}}:=\phi$ . And by Form 13th, the Fluent of  $-bv^{-\frac{1}{2}}\dot{v}\sqrt{a+3v}$  is  $= -\frac{ba}{2}\phi - bv^{\frac{1}{2}}\sqrt{a+3v} = -b\sqrt{a-x} \times \sqrt{4a-3x} - \frac{2.30258ba}{\sqrt{3}} \times \text{Log: } \sqrt{3a-3x+\sqrt{4a-3x}}$

Ex. 8.

To find the Fluent of  $\frac{x^{-1}\dot{x}\sqrt{aa-xx}}{bb+\frac{b}{a}xx}$ .

This by Division is reduced to  $\frac{x^{-1}\dot{x}}{bb}\sqrt{aa-xx} - \frac{xx}{ba} \times \frac{\sqrt{aa-xx}}{bb+\frac{b}{a}xx}$ . The Fluent of  $\frac{x^{-1}\dot{x}}{bb}\sqrt{aa-xx}$  (by Form 9th and 13th) is  $= \frac{\sqrt{aa-xx}}{bb} - \frac{2.30258a}{bb} \times \text{Log:}$



$\times \text{Log.} \frac{a + \sqrt{aa - xx}}{x}$ . And by Form the 23d,

$$\frac{xx\sqrt{aa-xx}}{bb + \frac{b}{a}xx} \text{ is transform'd to } \overline{p + \frac{b}{f}v}^{-1} \times \frac{v^{\frac{1}{2}}\dot{v}}{\theta f} =$$

$$\frac{-\frac{1}{2}v^{\frac{1}{2}}\dot{v}}{bb + ba - \frac{b}{a}v}; \text{ For } g + bz^3 = bb + \frac{b}{a}xx, \quad c + fz^3 =$$

$$aa - xx = v, \quad p = bb + ba, \quad \theta f = -2, \quad m = \frac{1}{2}, \quad r = -1,$$

$$\lambda = 1. \text{ Now by Form the 6th, the Fluent of } \frac{v^{-\frac{1}{2}}\dot{v}}{p - \frac{b}{a}v}$$

$$= 2.30258 \sqrt{\frac{a}{pb}} \times \text{Log. of } \frac{p + \frac{b}{a}v + 2\sqrt{\frac{pbv}{a}}}{p - \frac{b}{a}v} = \Phi.$$

$$\text{And by Form 11th the Fluent of } \frac{1}{2ba} \times \frac{v^{\frac{1}{2}}\dot{v}}{p - \frac{b}{a}v}$$

$$= \frac{p}{2bb} \Phi - \frac{\sqrt{v}}{bb}: \text{ Whence the Fluent of } \frac{xx\sqrt{aa-xx}}{bb + \frac{b}{a}xx}$$

$$\text{is } = \frac{\sqrt{aa-xx}}{bb} - \frac{\sqrt{v}}{bb} + \frac{2.30258}{bb} \text{Log.} \frac{a - \sqrt{aa-xx}}{x}$$

$$+ \frac{p}{2bb} \Phi = \frac{2a \times 2.30258 \text{Log.} \frac{a - \sqrt{v}}{x} + p\Phi}{2bb}.$$

Ex. 9.

The Fluent of  $bbx^{\frac{1}{2}} \times \frac{a+x^{\frac{1}{2}}}{\sqrt{ab+ax}}$  is required.

Here  $\theta = 1$ , and the Fluxion would become  $bbx^{\frac{1}{2}-1}\dot{x}$

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$bbx^{-\frac{1}{2}} \dot{x} \times \frac{\overline{a+ax^{\frac{1}{2}}}}{\sqrt{ab+ax^{\frac{1}{2}}}}$ , therefore the given Fluxion is

reduced by Multiplication to  $\frac{bbaax + 2bbax\dot{x} + bbx^2\dot{x}}{xx\sqrt{ab+ax} \times \sqrt{a+ax}}$

$$= \frac{bbx}{\sqrt{ab+ax}\sqrt{a+ax}} + \frac{2bbax\dot{x}}{\sqrt{a+abx^{-1}}\sqrt{1+ax^{-1}}} + \frac{bbax^2\dot{x}}{\sqrt{a+abx^{-1}}\sqrt{1+ax^{-1}}}; \text{ each Term whereof belongs to}$$

the 23d Form. Let  $e+fx^{\theta}=a+ax=v$ ,  $g+bz^{\theta}=ab+ax$ ,

$$\theta=1, r=-\frac{1}{2}, m=-\frac{1}{2}, p=ab-aa, \text{ then } \frac{bbx}{\sqrt{ab+ax}\sqrt{a+ax}}$$

$$= \frac{bbx^{-\frac{1}{2}}\dot{v}}{\sqrt{p+av}}, \text{ whose Fluent by Form the 9th will be}$$

$$\frac{2bb}{\sqrt{a}} \times 2.30258 \text{Log:} \sqrt{av} + \sqrt{p+av} = \frac{2bb}{\sqrt{a}} \times 2.30258 \times$$

$$\text{Log:} \sqrt{aa+ax} + \sqrt{ab+ax} = 2.302585 \times \frac{2bb}{\sqrt{a}} \times \text{Log:}$$

$$\text{of } \sqrt{a+ax} + \sqrt{b+ax} = \frac{2bb}{\sqrt{a}} A, \text{ the Fluent of the first Term.}$$

Again for the 2d and 3d Terms: make  $e+fx^{\theta}=1+ax^{-1}=v$ ,  $g+bz^{\theta}=a+abx^{-1}$ ,  $\theta=-1$ ,  $p=a-b$ ,  $\lambda=1$  in the second Term, and  $\lambda=2$  in the third Term,

$$\text{which therefore will be transform'd into } -\frac{2bbv^{-\frac{1}{2}}\dot{v}}{\sqrt{p+bv}}$$

$$\text{and } \frac{bbv^{-\frac{1}{2}}\dot{v} - bbv^{\frac{1}{2}}\dot{v}}{\sqrt{p+bv}} \text{ whose Sum is } -\frac{bbv^{-\frac{1}{2}}\dot{v}}{\sqrt{p+bv}}$$

$$- \frac{bbv^{\frac{1}{2}}\dot{v}}{\sqrt{p+bv}}. \text{ By Form the 9th the Fluent of } \frac{v^{-\frac{1}{2}}\dot{v}}{\sqrt{p+bv}}$$

$$= \frac{2}{\sqrt{b}} \times 2.3025 \text{Log:} \sqrt{bv} + \sqrt{p+bv} = 2.30258 \times$$

$$\frac{2}{\sqrt{b}} \times \text{Log:} \sqrt{\frac{ba+bx}{x}} + \sqrt{\frac{ba+ax}{x}} := \frac{2}{\sqrt{b}} B. \text{ And}$$

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by Form the 11th, the Fluent of  $\frac{v^{\frac{1}{2}}\dot{v}}{\sqrt{p+bv}}$  is  $= \frac{-p}{b\sqrt{b}} B$   
 $+ \frac{v^{\frac{1}{2}}}{b\sqrt{p+bv}}$ , multiply the Sum of these Fluents by  
 $-bb$ , and you will have  $\frac{-2bb+bp}{\sqrt{b}} B - bv^{\frac{1}{2}}\sqrt{p+bv}$   
 $= \frac{ba-3bb}{\sqrt{b}} B - \frac{b}{x} \sqrt{ab+ax} \sqrt{a+x}$ , to which add  
 the first Term  $\frac{2bb}{\sqrt{a}} A$ , and you will have  $\frac{2bb}{\sqrt{a}} A$   
 $+ \frac{ba-3bb}{\sqrt{b}} B - \frac{b}{x} \sqrt{ab+ax} \sqrt{a+x}$  the Fluent re-  
 quired.

Ex. 10.

To find the Fluent of  $\frac{\dot{z}}{4bz} \sqrt{a^2b^2 - a^2z + 16b^2z^2}$ .

The given Fluxion will be reduced to  $\frac{\dot{z}}{4bz} \times$   
 $\frac{a^2b^2 - a^2z + 16b^2z^2}{\sqrt{a^2b^2 - a^2z + 16b^2z^2}} = \frac{a^2bz^2\dot{z}}{4\sqrt{16b^2 - a^2z^2 + a^2b^2z^2}}$   
 $= \frac{a^2bz^2\dot{z}}{4b\sqrt{a^2b^2 - a^2z + 16b^2z^2}} + \frac{a^2bz^2\dot{z}}{4bz\dot{z}\sqrt{a^2b^2 - a^2z + 16b^2z^2}}$ ,  
 each of these Terms belongs to the 27th Form.

For the first Term,  $v = -\frac{1}{2}a^2 + a^2bz^2$ ,  $p = 16bb$   
 $-\frac{a^4}{4bb}$ ,  $\lambda = 1$ ,  $m = -\frac{1}{2}$ ,  $\theta = -1$ , and it will be

transform'd into  $\frac{-\dot{v}}{4b\sqrt{p+\frac{vv}{g}}} = \frac{-a\dot{v}}{4\sqrt{pg+vv}}$ ,

whose Fluent by Form the 9th will be  $-\frac{a}{4} \times$

2. 30258 Logar:  $v + \sqrt{pg+vv} = \frac{-a}{4} \times 2. 30258 \times$

Log:  $\frac{a^2b^2}{z} - \frac{1}{2}a^2 + \frac{ab}{z} \sqrt{a^2b^2 - a^2z + 16b^2z^2}$ :

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Again for the other two Terms, here  $v = -\frac{1}{2}a^3$   
 $+ 16b^2z$ ,  $p = a^2b^2 - \frac{a^6}{64b^2}$ ,  $m = -\frac{1}{2}$ ,  $\theta = 1$ ,  $\lambda = 1$   
 in the second Term, and  $= 2$  in the third: And these  
 two Terms by Form the 27th will be transform'd into

$$\frac{-a^3\dot{v}}{16bb\sqrt{pg+vv}} \text{ and } \frac{v\dot{v}}{16bb\sqrt{pg+vv}} + \frac{a^3\dot{v}}{32bb\sqrt{pg+vv}},$$

whose Sum is  $\frac{v\dot{v}}{16bb\sqrt{pg+vv}} - \frac{a^3\dot{v}}{32bb\sqrt{pg+vv}};$

$$\text{whose Fluent (by Form the 9th)} = \frac{\sqrt{pg+vv}}{16bb} - \frac{a^3L}{32bb}$$

$$\times \text{Log. of: } v + \sqrt{pg+vv}; = \frac{\sqrt{a^2b^2 - a^3z + 16bbz^2}}{4b}$$

$$- 2.302585 \times \frac{a^3}{32bb} \times \text{Log: } -\frac{1}{2}a^3 + 16bbz + 4b \times$$

$$\sqrt{a^2b^2 - a^3z + 16bbz^2}: \text{ Whence the Fluent of } \frac{z}{4bz}$$

$$\sqrt{a^2b^2 - a^3z + 16bbz^2} \text{ is } = \frac{1}{4b} \sqrt{a^2b^2 - a^3z + 16bbz^2}$$

$$- \frac{a}{4} \times 2.302585 \text{Log: } \frac{a^2b^2}{z} - \frac{1}{2}a^3 + \frac{ab}{z} \times$$

$$\sqrt{a^2b^2 - a^3z + 16bbz^2}: - \frac{a^3}{32bb} \times 2.3025 \text{Log: } 16bbz$$

$$- \frac{1}{2}a^3 + 4b\sqrt{a^2b^2 - a^3z + 16bbz^2}:$$

I shall add a few more Examples, chiefly to  
 illustrate the METHOD of REDUCTION.

### EX. II.

Let  $\frac{dz^{\frac{3}{2}-1}z}{e+fz}$  be proposed: Divide by  $z$  and it

will be reduced to  $\frac{dz^{\frac{3}{2}-1}z}{f+ez^1}$ . This belongs to Form

7th, where  $n = -1$ ,  $\lambda = 5$ ,  $d = 2$ ,  $x = \sqrt{\frac{e}{fz}}$ ,  $K = 36^\circ$ ;  
 $a = .587785$ ;  $b = .951056$ ;  $c = 0$ , and  $s = .809017$ ;  
 $t = -.309017$ ;  $u = -1$ : where always observe that  
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the Cofines of Arches above  $90^\circ$  are negative Numbers: then will be found P, Q, R, in Degrees; and the Logarithms of  $\sqrt{1-2sx+xx}$ ,  $\sqrt{1-2tx+xx}$ ,  $\sqrt{1-2ux+xx}$ , for which Logarithms put S, T, V;

Then (by Case the 6th) the Fluent is  $\frac{d}{-f^{\frac{3}{2}}e^{\frac{3}{2}}} \times$  into

$$-309017 \times 2LS + 951056 \times 2NP + 809017 \times 2LT - 587785 \times 2NQ - LV.$$

Ex. 12.

Given  $x^{\frac{1}{2}} \dot{x} \times \overline{aa - x^2}^{\frac{3}{2}}$ , this by Form 21st (putting  $v = aa - x^2$ ) is transformed into  $v \overline{-aa}^{-2} \times \frac{v^{\frac{3}{2}} \dot{v}}{-2} = -\frac{1}{2} \times$

$$\frac{v^{\frac{3}{2}} \dot{v}}{-aa + v^2}; \text{ which belongs to Form 7th and 14th.}$$

Ex. 13.

Let  $\frac{x^{\frac{1}{2}} \dot{x} \times \overline{aa + xx}^{\frac{3}{2}}}{abb - bxx}^{\frac{1}{2}}$  be given; this is reduced to  $\frac{aax^{\frac{1}{2}} \dot{x} \times \overline{aa + xx}^{\frac{1}{2}}}{abb - bxx}^{\frac{1}{2}} + \frac{xx \times \overline{aa + xx}^{\frac{1}{2}}}{abb - bxx}^{\frac{1}{2}}$ , both which Terms belong to Form 24.

Ex. 14.

Let  $\frac{x^{\frac{2}{3}} \dot{x} \times \overline{a + x}^{\frac{1}{3}}}{b + x \times ab - bx}^{\frac{1}{3}}$  be proposed; divide by  $x + b$ , and it is reduced to  $\frac{xx \times \overline{a + x}^{\frac{1}{3}}}{ab - bx}^{\frac{1}{3}} - \frac{bx \times \overline{a + x}^{\frac{1}{3}}}{ab - bx}^{\frac{1}{3}} + \frac{bbx \times \overline{a + x}^{\frac{1}{3}}}{b + x \times ab - bx}^{\frac{1}{3}}$ : The two first Terms belong to Form 24th, and the last to Form 25th.

Ex. 15.

Ex. 15.

Let  $\frac{y^2 \dot{y}}{a+y \sqrt{ab+cy-yy}}$  be given; divide by  $a+y$ , and it will be reduced to  $\frac{y^2 \dot{y}}{a \sqrt{ab+cy-yy}}$  —  $\frac{y^2 \dot{y}}{aa \times a+y \sqrt{ab+cy-yy}}$  ; the last Term belongs to the 32d Form, and (by reducing the Index) the two first Terms become  $\frac{y^3 \dot{y}}{a \sqrt{-1+cy^2+aby^2}} - \frac{y^2 \dot{y}}{aa \sqrt{-1+cy^2+aby^2}}$ , both which belong to the 27th Form.

Ex. 16.

Given  $\frac{dx \sqrt{aa-bx+xx}}{a-x}$ ; this (by Multiplication) is reduced to  $\frac{daax}{a-x \sqrt{aa-bx+xx}} + \frac{dx^2 \dot{x} - bdx \dot{x}}{a-x \sqrt{aa-bx+xx}}$ . The first Term belongs to Form 32d. And dividing the rest by  $-x+a$ , they are reduced to  $\frac{-dx \dot{x}}{\sqrt{aa-bx+xx}} + \frac{\overline{bd-ad} \times \dot{x}}{\sqrt{aa-bx+xx}} + \frac{\overline{aad-abd} \times \dot{x}}{a-x \sqrt{aa-bx+xx}}$ . The last belongs to Form 32, and the two former are Fluxions of the 27th Form.

Ex. 17.

Given  $\frac{x^{-\frac{1}{2}} \dot{x} \times \overline{ab-xx}^{\frac{1}{2}}}{a^2-3aax^2+x^4}$ ; this (by reducing the Index) becomes  $\frac{x^{\frac{1}{2}} \dot{x} \times \overline{1+abx^2}^{\frac{1}{2}}}{1-3aax^2+a^2x^4}$ , which belongs to Form 33d.

Ex. 18.

Ex. 18.

Let  $\frac{z^1 \dot{z} \sqrt{aa-zz}}{a^4-aa\dot{z}z+z^4}$  be proposed; because  $4a^2$  is greater than  $a^4$ , it cannot be resolved by the 33d Form, therefore I divide by  $a^4-aa\dot{z}z+z^4$ , which reduces it to  $\frac{z^1 \dot{z} \sqrt{aa-zz}}{a^4} + \frac{z \dot{z} \sqrt{aa-zz}}{aa \times a^4 - a^2 z^2 + z^4}$ .

$-\frac{z^1 \dot{z} \sqrt{aa-zz}}{a^4 \times a^4 - a^2 z^2 + z^4}$ ; the two last Terms belong to Form the 34th; and the first is further reduced to  $\frac{z^1 \dot{z}}{aa \sqrt{1-aa\dot{z}z}} - \frac{z \dot{z}}{a^4 \sqrt{a^2-z^2}}$ , which belong to Forms 10th and 3d.

Ex. 19.

Let there be given  $\frac{x\dot{x}}{aa-ax+xx\sqrt{aa-ax}}$ ; this is reduced to  $\frac{aax\dot{x}}{aa-ax+xx \times aa-ax}^{\frac{1}{2}} - \frac{ax^2\dot{x}}{aa-ax+xx \times aa-ax}^{\frac{1}{2}}$ ; the former Term belongs to Form the 35th; and the latter by Division is further reduced to  $\frac{-a\dot{x}}{aa-ax}^{\frac{1}{2}}$ .

$+ \frac{a^3\dot{x}-a^2x\dot{x}}{aa-ax+xx \times aa-ax}^{\frac{1}{2}}$ ; the first belongs to the binomial Forms, and the rest to Form 35; where observe that the Part first found (belonging to Form 35) destroys a Part of this last Fluxion; and then the whole is reduced to this,  $\frac{a^3\dot{x}}{aa-ax+xx \times aa-ax}^{\frac{1}{2}}$ .

$-\frac{a\dot{x}}{aa-ax}^{\frac{1}{2}}$ .

Ex. 20.

Given  $\frac{z^{rn-1}\dot{z}}{a+bz^n+cz^{2n}+dz^{3n}}$ , extract one Root  $b$  of the Denominator (supposed to be put  $= 0$ ), then will  $b-z^n=0$ , by this divide the said Denominator, and

and let the Quotient be  $e + fz^n + gz^{2n}$ ; then the given Fluxion is reduced to this  $\frac{z^{r^n-1}\dot{z}}{b-z^n \times e + fz^n + gz^{2n}}$ , which belongs to the 29th, 30th, or 31st Form.

Ex. 21.

There is given  $\frac{z^{r^n-1}\dot{z}}{a+bz^n+cz^{2n}+dz^{3n}+tz^{4n}}$ , extract two Roots  $a, b$  of the Denominator; then you have  $a-z^n=0$ , and  $b-z^n=0$ , divide the Denominator by  $a-z^n \times b-z^n$ , and let the Quotient be  $e + fz^n + gz^{2n}$ . Then the given Fluxion becomes  $\frac{z^{r^n-1}\dot{z}}{a-z^n \cdot b-z^n \cdot e + fz^n + gz^{2n}}$

$$= \frac{z^{r^n-1}\dot{z}}{s \times b - z^n \times e + fz^n + gz^{2n}} - \frac{z^{r^n-1}\dot{z}}{s \times a - z^n \times e + fz^n + gz^{2n}}$$

(putting  $a-b=s$ ) both which Terms belong to the 29th, 30th, or 31st Form.

Ex. 22.

Given  $\frac{z^{r^n-1}\dot{z}}{a+bz^n+kz^{2n} \times e + fz^n + gz^{2n}}^m$ , here  $r$  and  $2m$  must be Integers; put  $p = \sqrt{bb-4ak}$ , and the Fluxion is resolved into these two Terms,  $\frac{k}{p} \times$

$$\frac{z^{r^n-1}\dot{z}}{\left[\frac{b-p}{2} + kz^n \cdot e + fz^n + gz^{2n}\right]^m} - \frac{k}{p} \times \frac{z^{r^n-1}\dot{z}}{\left[\frac{b+p}{2} + kz^n \cdot e + fz^n + gz^{2n}\right]^m}$$

then dividing by the Denominators  $\frac{b-p}{2} + kz^n$ , and  $\frac{b+p}{2} + kz^n$ , if there be Occasion; and the resulting Terms will belong to the 32d Form, and perhaps to some others of the foregoing Forms.

SCHOLIUM.



## SCHOLIUM.

Although the Construction of many of the foregoing Forms depends on several Things that have not yet been deliver'd; yet it may be proper in this Place to give a short Account thereof, that the Reader may not be intirely ignorant of them, which he will the better understand after he has read such Parts of the following Book as they are founded on.

1. It is plain by Prop. III. that the Fluxions in Form 1, 3, 19 and 20 belong to the Fluents there assigned.

2. Form 16th is calculated in Example 13 Prop. X. and Form the 18th in Example 35. Likewise the Fluent in Form the 15th is found by Prop. X. Assuming  $Az^{\pi+1} + Bz^{\pi+\eta+1} + Cz^{\pi+2\eta+1}$  &c.  $\times \frac{1}{a+\beta z^{\eta+1}} =$  Fluent of  $\frac{1}{a+\beta z^{\eta+1}} z^{\pi} \dot{z}$ .

3. By Prob. II. Sect. II. the Fluxion of any Quantity divided by that Quantity is the Fluxion of the Hyperbolic Logarithm of that Quantity; and that the Number 2.302585 reduces the common to the hyperbolic Logarithms. Now if the Fluents in Form 2, 4, 6 and 9th be put into Fluxions according to the afore-said Rule, it will appear that they will respectively produce the Fluxions in these Forms.

4. In Example 3d, Prob. X. Sect. II. it is shewn, that the hyperbolic Space between the Asymptotes is  $=$  Fluent of  $\frac{ab}{a+x} \dot{x}$ , in which if you write RR for  $ab$ , Rz (or  $\dot{z}$ ) for  $a+x$ , and  $R\dot{z}$  (or  $\dot{z}$ ) for  $\dot{x}$ , you will have  $RR \frac{\dot{z}}{z}$ , whose Fluent is the hyperbolic Space in Form the 2d. Likewise if you write RR for  $ab$ ,  $\frac{\alpha}{\beta} + z^{\eta}$  for  $a+x$ , and  $\eta z^{\eta-1} \dot{z}$  for  $\dot{x}$ , you will have  $\beta \frac{RR \eta z^{\eta-1} \dot{z}}{\alpha + \beta z^{\eta}}$  as in Form the 4th. And lastly, write

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RR for  $ab$ , and  $\sqrt{\alpha + \sqrt{\beta} z^n}$  for  $a+x$ , and  $\sqrt{\beta} \times \frac{1}{2} \eta z^{\frac{1}{2}\eta-1} \dot{z}$  for  $\dot{x}$ ; and likewise write  $\sqrt{\alpha - \sqrt{\beta} z^n}$  for  $a+x$ , and  $-\sqrt{\beta} \times \frac{1}{2} \eta z^{\frac{1}{2}\eta-1} \dot{z}$  for  $\dot{x}$ , and the Difference of these Fluxions will be  $\frac{\eta RR \sqrt{\alpha \beta} \times z^{\frac{1}{2}\eta-1} \dot{z}}{\alpha - \beta z^n}$  as in Form the 6th.

5. By Ex. 9. Prob. X. Sect. II. the hyperbolic Sector is equal to the Fluent of  $\frac{bba}{2} \times \frac{i}{bb - ii}$ , in which writing R for  $a$  and  $b$ ,  $R \sqrt{\frac{\beta z^n}{\alpha}}$  for  $t$  and  $\frac{\eta}{2} R \sqrt{\frac{\beta}{\alpha}} \times z^{\frac{1}{2}\eta-1} \dot{z}$  for  $i$ ; you'll have  $\frac{\eta RR \sqrt{\alpha \beta} \times z^{\frac{1}{2}\eta-1} \dot{z}}{4 \times \alpha - \beta z^n}$  as in the 6th Form.

6. And by the same Example, the hyperbolic Sector is = Fluent of  $\frac{aby}{2\sqrt{ab+yy}}$  = (writing R for  $a$  and  $b$ )  $\frac{RR\dot{y}}{2\sqrt{RR+yy}}$ ; now if you write  $R \sqrt{\frac{\beta z^n}{\alpha}}$  for  $y$ , and  $\frac{1}{2} \eta R \sqrt{\frac{\beta}{\alpha}} \times z^{\frac{1}{2}\eta-1} \dot{z}$  for  $\dot{y}$ , you will have  $\frac{\eta RR \sqrt{\beta} \times z^{\frac{1}{2}\eta-1} \dot{z}}{4\sqrt{\alpha + \beta z^n}}$ , in like manner if you put  $\frac{2R}{\alpha} \sqrt{\alpha \beta z^n + \beta^2 z^{2n}} = y$ , or  $\frac{2R}{-\alpha} \sqrt{\alpha \beta z^n + \beta^2 z^{2n}} = y$ , when  $\alpha$  is a negative Quantity, or  $\frac{R}{\sqrt{-\alpha}} \sqrt{\alpha + \beta z^n} = y$ , when  $\alpha$  is negative, and expunge  $y$  and  $\dot{y}$ , you will get the Fluxion of the 9th Form any of these Ways.

7. Since the Length of any Arch of a Circle (whose Radius is R) is =  $\frac{3.1416R}{180} \times$  Degrees in that Arch; or Length of the Arch =  $.017453R \times$  Degrees in that Arch: And by Example the 5th, Prob. VIII. Sect. II.

The Arch = Fluent of  $\frac{RR\dot{t}}{RR + tt}$ ; if you write  $R \sqrt{\frac{\beta z^n}{\alpha}}$  for

for  $t$ , and  $\frac{\eta R}{2} \sqrt{\frac{\beta}{\alpha}} \times z^{\frac{1}{2}\eta-1} \dot{z}$  for  $i$ , you will have  
 $\frac{\eta R \sqrt{\alpha\beta} \times z^{\frac{1}{2}\eta-1} \dot{z}}{2 \times \alpha + \beta z^\eta}$ , whose Fluent therefore is = that

Arch = .017453 R  $\times$  Degrees in the Arch =  $\frac{2 \text{ Sectors}}{R}$ ,  
 from all which the Construction of Form the 5th will easily appear.

8. In like Manner by the same Problem, the Arch  
 = Fluent of  $\frac{R \dot{y}}{\sqrt{RR-yy}}$ , in which writing for  $y$ ,  
 $R \sqrt{\frac{\beta z^\eta}{\alpha}}$ , or  $\frac{2R}{\alpha} \sqrt{\alpha\beta z^\eta - \beta^2 z^{2\eta}}$ , and the Fluxion for  
 $y$ , you will get  $\frac{\eta R \sqrt{\beta}}{2} \times \frac{z^{\frac{1}{2}\eta-1} \dot{z}}{\sqrt{\alpha - \beta z^\eta}}$ , and  $\eta R \sqrt{\beta} \times \frac{z^{\frac{1}{2}\eta-1} \dot{z}}{\sqrt{\alpha - \beta z^\eta}}$ ,  
 from which all the other Varieties in Form the 10th  
 are easily deduced.

9. Form the 11th is gradually calculated by Cor. 2.  
 Prop. IV. where it is demonstrated that the Fluent of

$\frac{z^{p+1} \times \overline{\alpha + \beta z^\eta}^{\mu+1} - p+1 \cdot \alpha A}{\mu\eta + \eta + p+1 : \times \beta}$ ,  
 is =

in which writing  $\pi$  for  $p$ ,  $\phi$  for  $A$ ,  $\gamma$  for  $\overline{\alpha + \beta z^\eta}^{\mu+1}$ ,  
 you will have the Fluent of  $\overline{\alpha + \beta z^\eta}^\mu z^{\pi+\eta} \dot{z}$ ; again,  
 writing  $\pi+\eta$  for  $p$ , Fluent of  $\overline{\alpha + \beta z^\eta}^\mu z^{\pi+\eta} \dot{z}$  (now  
 found) for  $A$ ; you'll have the Fluent of  $\overline{\alpha + \beta z^\eta}^\mu z^{\pi+2\eta} \dot{z}$ ;  
 again, writing  $\pi+2\eta$  for  $p$ , and the Fluent of  
 $\overline{\alpha + \beta z^\eta}^\mu z^{\pi+2\eta} \dot{z}$  (last found) for  $A$ , you get the Fluent  
 of  $\overline{\alpha + \beta z^\eta}^\mu z^{\pi+3\eta} \dot{z}$ , and so on.

In like Manner the 12th Form is calculated from  
 Cor. 3. Prop. IV. where the Fluent of  $\overline{\alpha + \beta z^\eta}^\mu z^p \dot{z} =$   
 $\frac{z^{p+1} \gamma - \frac{\mu\eta + \eta + p+1 \times \beta B}{p+1 \times \alpha}}{p+1 \times \alpha}$ . And by a like Process

the 13th and 14th Forms are gradually calculated from Cor. 4 and 5, Prop. IV. These 4 Forms might have been differently express'd from what they are in the Table. For Example, Form the 11th may be expressed thus; let  $e = \pi + 1$ ,  $d = \pi + 1 + \eta$

$$+ \mu\eta, \text{ then the Fluent of } \overline{\alpha + \beta z^n}^\mu z^{\pi+\lambda\eta} \dot{z} =$$

$$\frac{\overline{-\alpha}^\lambda \times e \times e + \eta \times e + 2\eta \times e + 3\eta. \mathcal{E}c. \text{ to } \lambda \text{ Places}}{\beta^\lambda \times d \times d + \eta \times d + 2\eta \times d + 3\eta. \mathcal{E}c. \text{ to } \lambda \text{ Places}} \times \phi$$

$$- \frac{z^\epsilon \gamma}{e \alpha \phi} A - \frac{d \beta z^n}{e + \eta. \alpha} B - \frac{d + \eta. \beta z^n}{e + 2\eta. \alpha} C - \frac{d + 2\eta. \beta z^n}{e + 3\eta. \alpha} D - \mathcal{E}c$$

continued to  $\lambda + 1$  Places; where A, B, C,  $\mathcal{E}c$ , are the first, second, third,  $\mathcal{E}c$  Terms with their Signs,

$\phi = \text{Fluent of } \overline{\alpha + \beta z^n}^\mu z^{\pi} \dot{z}, \gamma = \overline{\alpha + \beta z^n}^{\mu+1}$ .

10. The 17th Form is derived from the 11th; for when  $z$  and  $\gamma$  are 0, all the Terms vanish except the first, in which taking 0, 1, 2, 3,  $\mathcal{E}c$ , Terms (for each of the Terms in the Quantity  $e + fz^n + gz^{2n} \mathcal{E}c$ ) and multiplying each by its respective Coefficient, and the Sum of all by  $\phi$ , you will at last obtain this Form.

11. The Fluxions in the 21st and following Forms are transform'd by Prop. IX. and their Truth will appear by the bare Substitution of the Quantities therein contain'd.

12. There still remain the 7th and 8th Forms, whose Calculus is something more difficult: These I investigate after the following manner. Let T, U, W,  $\mathcal{E}c$ , stand for the Quantities  $\sqrt{1-2sx+xx}$ ,  $\sqrt{1-2tx+xx}$ ,  $\sqrt{1-2ux+xx}$ ,  $\mathcal{E}c$ ; then the Fluxion of  $L \times \text{Log. T}$  (or the hyperbolic Log. T) will be  $\frac{-sx+xx}{1-2sx+xx}$ , and the like for U, W,  $\mathcal{E}c$ ; as is plain from what is deliver'd in Art. 3. Again, the Fluxion of NP (as will appear by Art. 8) is  $\frac{ax}{1-2sx+xx}$ , and so for the rest NQ, NR,  $\mathcal{E}c$ . Lastly, we must take for granted (for I shall not stay to demonstrate it here)

here) that the Product of all the Squares of T, U, W, &c, if  $\lambda$  is an even Number, or the last drawn into the Squares of all the rest, if  $\lambda$  is an odd Number, is always equal to  $1+x^\lambda$ . These Things premised, let us investigate any one Case; as for Example, to find the

Fluent of  $\frac{\dot{x}}{1+x^3}$ ; here  $\lambda=3$  and  $\frac{180}{3}=60$ : here  $b$ ,

$c, u, \&c, =0$ , and  $t=-1$ , and therefore  $\sqrt{1-2tx+xx} = 1+x$ : and all Arches above 180 are excluded;

hence I assume  $LA \times \text{Log.} \sqrt{1-2sx+xx} + \text{BNP} +$

$CL \times \text{Log.} \frac{\dot{x}}{1+x^3} = \text{Fluent of } \frac{\dot{x}}{1+x^3}$ . This in Fluxi-

ons gives

$$\frac{Ba-Ax+Ax}{1-2sx+xx} \dot{x} + \frac{C\dot{x}}{1+x} = \frac{\dot{x}}{1+x^3}; \text{ put } Ba-Ax=I.$$

then  $\frac{I+Ax}{1-2sx+xx} + \frac{C}{1+x} = \frac{I}{1+x^3}$ ; reduce them to a

common Denominator, then

$$\frac{\begin{array}{c} +I + Ax + Ax^2 \\ +C + I \\ -2sC + C \end{array}}{1-2sx+1x^2+x^3} = \frac{I}{1+x^3}.$$

Here the Denominators being equal, we have  $1-2s=0$ , or  $2s=1$ ; and equating the Coefficients of the homologous Terms in the Numerator,  $I+C=1$ .  $A+I-2sC$  or  $A+I-C=0$ , and  $A+C=0$ . From whence will

be found  $A=-\frac{1}{3}$ ,  $C=\frac{1}{3}$ ,  $I=\frac{2}{3}$ ,  $B=\frac{I}{2a}=(\text{because}$

$aa=\frac{3}{4}, \frac{2}{3}a$ . Whence the Fluent is  $-\frac{1}{3}L \times$

$\text{Log.} \sqrt{1-2sx+xx} + \frac{2}{3}aNP + \frac{1}{3}L \times \text{Log.} \frac{1}{1+x}$ .

This done, I put  $x^\lambda = \frac{\beta z^\alpha}{\alpha}$ ; and (by Prop. IX.)

transform the Fluxion  $\frac{\dot{x}}{1+x^3}$  into this other  $\frac{\eta a^{\frac{2}{3}} \beta^{\frac{1}{3}}}{3} x$

$\frac{z^{\frac{1}{3}\eta-1} \dot{z}}{\alpha + \beta z^\eta}$ , whose Fluent therefore you have above.

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In equating the Coefficients, if you had made  $A+I-C=1$ , and the other Equations  $=0$ , you would have got the Fluent of  $\frac{xx}{1+x^3}$ .

After the same manner may the 8th Form be investigated, remembering what was said of Sines and Logarithms, and observing that (if you put T, U, W, &c. for  $1-x$ ,  $\sqrt{1-2sx+xx}$ ,  $\sqrt{1-2tx+xx}$ ) the first T into the Squares of all the rest, if  $\lambda$  is an odd Number; or the first and last into the Squares of the rest, if  $\lambda$  is an even Number, is always equal to  $1-x^\lambda$ : The Demonstration of which belongs not to this Place.

Here note that in these two Forms, you may if you please put P, Q, &c. for the Degrees of Arches whose Sines are  $\frac{a}{\sqrt{1-2sx+xx}}$ ,  $\frac{a}{\sqrt{1-2tx+xx}}$  &c, their Fluxions being the same as the other. But then if the Arch whose Sine is  $\frac{ax}{\sqrt{1-2sx+xx}}$  be less than a Quadrant, the Arch whose Sine is  $\frac{a}{\sqrt{1-2sx+xx}}$  will be greater than a Quadrant.

## P R O P. XII.

*To correct the Fluent of a given fluxionary Equation or Proportion.*

When the Fluent is obtained, by either of the foregoing Propositions, from any given fluxionary Equation or Proportion; it is only obtain'd in general. But since the Design in any particular Problem is to find the contemporary Fluents; such general Equation or Proportion

Proportion therefore is for the most part imperfect till it be corrected by the following

## RULE.

1. Instead of each several variable Quantity (or Member) in the Fluent, *substitute* such a *determinate Value* thereof, as each of them is known to have in any one certain and *particular Point* or Place: Then ~~substitute~~ each *Side* of the resulting Equation from the *corresponding Side* of the *Fluent*; and the remaining Equation will be the *correct Fluent*. And the same Rule obtains when the Fluent is expressed by a general Proportion.

2. Or any particular Part of the Fluent may be otherwise had thus without the foregoing Correction: *Substitute* the Values of the variable Quantities for any particular *Time*, Place or Point; do the same for another given Time or Place; and the *Difference* of the resulting Equations, gives the corresponding Part of the *Fluent*.

3. Sometimes it may be sufficient to add some *given Quantity* on one Side of the Equation, which may afterwards be determin'd according to the Nature and Circumstances of the Question.

## DEMONSTRATION.

Let  $X = Z$  be the Fluent obtained in general, from a given fluxionary Equation,  $\dot{X} = \dot{Z}$ . Now since  $X$  may not be equal to  $Z$  (by Cor. 2. Prop. II.), take  $d$  a given Quantity, and let  $X = Z + d$  be an Equation for the contemporary Fluents. Now at a certain Time when  $X = b$ , let  $Z = c$ ; then you will have the particular Equation  $b = c + d$  at that Time; this Equation taken from the former will leave this general Equation for the contemporary Fluents,  $X - b = Z + d - c - d$ , that is  $X - b = Z - c$ . Q. E. D.

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These Things are to be thus understood when the variable Quantity in the Fluent continually increases (or

(or decrease). But in Case it increases and decreases by Turns, or passes through one or more *Maximums* or *Minimums*; then the several Parts of the Fluent, between any given Point and each Maximum or Minimum must be *separately* found by distinct Operations, and each *corrected* by this Proposition, and then the several Parts *collected* into one *Sum*.

## Example 1.

Let  $ax = 2yy$ , and the Fluent is  $ax = yy$ , now when  $y = 0$ , let  $x = 0$ , and then  $ax - 0 = y^2 = 0$ , or  $ax = yy$ , which therefore needs no Correction.

## Ex. 2.

Again let  $ax = 2yy$ , and finding the Fluent  $ax = yy$ . Now when  $y = 0$ , let  $x = b$ ; and the Equation becomes  $ab = 0$ , this subtracted from the other Equation, leaves  $ax - ab = yy$ , the contemporary Fluent required.

## Ex. 3.

Let  $b\ddot{x} - x\dot{x} = y\ddot{y}$ , the Fluent is  $b\dot{x} - \frac{x^2}{2} = \frac{y^2}{2}$ , but at a certain Point of Time  $x = b$ , and also  $y = r$ , then the Equation becomes  $b\dot{b} - \frac{1}{2}bb$  or  $\frac{1}{2}bb = \frac{rr}{2}$ , therefore the correct Fluent is  $b\dot{x} - \frac{1}{2}xx - \frac{1}{2}bb = \frac{1}{2}yy - \frac{1}{2}rr$ . That is by Reduction  $rr - bb \div 2bx - xx = yy$ .

## Ex. 4.

Suppose  $2by\ddot{y} = \frac{3cx^2\dot{x}}{z} - \frac{cx^3\ddot{z}}{z^2}$ , the Fluent is  $b\dot{y}y = \frac{cx^3}{z}$ ; but when  $y = r$ , the Quantity  $\frac{cx^3}{z} = A$ . Therefore the correct Fluent is  $b \times \overline{y^2 - r^2} = \frac{cx^3}{z} - A$ .

## Ex. 5.

Let  $\frac{\dot{y}^2}{2b} = \frac{\ddot{x}\ddot{x}}{\sqrt{\dot{y}^2 + \dot{x}^2}}$ , supposing  $\dot{y}$  given; the  
Fluent



Fluent is  $\frac{y\dot{y}}{2b} = \sqrt{\dot{x}^2 + \dot{y}^2}$ ; but when  $y = a$ ,  $\dot{x} = 0$ ,

and  $\dot{y} = \sqrt{\dot{y}^2 + \dot{x}^2}$ , therefore the contemporary

Fluent is  $\frac{y\dot{y} - a\dot{y}}{2b} = \sqrt{\dot{x}^2 + \dot{y}^2} - \dot{y}$ , or  $y - a + 2b \times$

$$\dot{y} = 2b \sqrt{\dot{x}^2 + \dot{y}^2}.$$

Ex. 6.

Let  $b\dot{y} = \frac{\dot{x}}{\sqrt{aa + xx}}$ ; By Form the 9th its Fluent

is  $b y = 2.3025 \text{ Log. } x + \sqrt{aa + xx}$ : but when  $y = a$ ,

$x = 0$ , then the Equation is  $ba = 2.3025 \text{ Log. } a$ .

Therefore the corrected Fluent is  $by - ba = 2.3025x$

$\text{Log. } x + \sqrt{aa + xx} - 2.3025 \text{ Log. } a$ , that is  $by - ba$

$$= 2.302585 \text{ Log. } \frac{x + \sqrt{aa + xx}}{a}.$$

### P R O P. XIII.

*To investigate a Problem by the Method of Fluxions.*

#### RULES.

1. Let all the Quantities be denoted by proper Symbols, as is explained in the Notation of Fluxions, and let some *one* of the variable Quantities (with which the others may always be compared) be supposed to increase uniformly: And this may be called the *Principal* variable Quantity. Then the given Equations, or such Equations as are deduced from the Conditions of the Problem, must be turn'd into Fluxions, second Fluxions, &c. by Prop. III. in order to get as many Equations of these Fluxions, as you have Occasion for.

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2. But because sometimes some Doubt may arise about the Signs of the Fluxions: Observe that any fluxionary Equations, deduced from the Equations of Curves, or from any given Equations in the Problem, will contain the Fluxions with their proper Signs. But in any Proportions made between Fluxions or Moments, as in similar fluxionary Triangles and the like; then the Fluxions or Moments of Quantities that decrease must be actually made *negative*; and those that increase must be written *affirmative*: Or, which is the same thing, (since one Part of any Whole increases whilst the other Part of it decreases, therefore) instead of the negative Fluxion, you may take the proper Fluxion of the increasing Part of that Quantity.

3. Since *Velocity* is always measured by the *Spaces* uniformly describ'd thereby; so may the *Fluxions* be measured by the *Moments* uniformly generated by the Fluxions. Therefore the Moments (uniformly generated or, which amounts to the same thing, consider'd as *arising* or *vanishing*) may be put for the Fluxions, and the Result will always be the very same in all Operations. And since in many Cases the reasoning and calculating with the *Moments* will be more easy and evident than with the *Fluxions*, the Equations gained thereby must at last be changed into fluxionary Equations, by substituting the Fluxions instead of the Moments, which must always be supposed to be taken in the *first Instant* of their Generation: Or, at least when the Operation is over, these *Moments* must be supposed to be *diminish'd ad infinitum* that their *first Ratio* may be always obtain'd.

4. In the Resolution of any *Problem*, the Nature and Conditions of it are to be closely examin'd and strictly pursued according to all the known Methods of *Algebraic Reasoning*, by attentively considering the *Relations* of the Quantities, and their mutual *Proportions* and *Dependence* on one another; and forming your Process according to these their Properties, by duly comparing together the *Quantities*, their *Moments*

ments or Increments, their Fluxions or second Fluxions &c, as the Case requires; till you get a competent Number of Equations, or general Proportions. And then you must proceed to expunge such Quantities as are superfluous, till at last you get a fluxionary Equation or Proportion with the Quantities required. Then if there be Occasion,

5. Find the *Fluent* of the said Equation, or general Proportion, by Prop. X. or XI. and correct it by Prop. XII. And then you have a *complete Equation*, or *general Proportion*, containing the Quantities sought.

6. But to obtain an Equation of the indetermined Quantities, by having the correct general Proportion before found, or by having only the fluxionary Proportion; you must assign to each indetermined Quantity in the said Proportion (or in the Fluxion thereof) such a determined Value as it is known to have in any particular Case; and from thence you must draw an Analogy from the Fluxion alone (of the general Proportion) or from the *correct Fluent* alone, (or sometimes from both together) from whence there will be had an Equation between the Quantities required; or at least between their Fluxions, whose *Fluent* must then be found and corrected. And note, these *determined Values* (of the Quantities) may be either expressed in Numbers or Symbols, as any one shall think proper.

Sometimes it may be sufficient to assume a given Quantity, by which multiplying one Side of the Proportion, it will be turned into an Equation; and this given Quantity may afterwards be determined according to the Nature of the Question.

These are the *general Rules*, but after all, many things must be left to the Sagacity and Invention of the Artist.

COROL. Hence every Problem belongs to Fluxions, in which the Increments, or the Proportions of the Increments or Moments of the several variable Quantities contained therein, can in all Cases be computed and expressed by Equations.

## Example 1.

To find the Velocity wherewith the Ordinate  $BM$  of a Circle increases in every Point, whilst it moves uniformly along the Diameter  $AD$ .

FIG. 1. Let  $AD=2r$ ,  $AB=x$ ,  $BM=y$ . and by the Nature of the Circle  $2rx-xx=yy$ ; this Equation put into Fluxions gives  $2r\dot{x}-2x\dot{x}=2y\dot{y}$ , or  $\frac{r-x}{y}\dot{x}=\dot{y}$ , a general Equation for the Increase of  $y$  in all Points. Therefore in  $A$  where  $y$  is 0, and  $x$  is 0,  $\frac{r-x}{y}\dot{x}=\dot{y}$  becomes  $\frac{r\dot{x}}{0}=\dot{y}$ , therefore  $\dot{y}$  is infinite. If  $CB=BM$ , or  $r-x=y$ , then  $\dot{x}=\dot{y}$ , and  $x$  and  $y$  increase equally. But in  $C$  where  $r-x=0$ , then  $\dot{y}=0$ , therefore  $y$  does not increase at all. In  $b$  where  $Cb=bm$ , then  $\dot{y}=-\dot{x}$ , therefore  $y$  decreases as fast as  $x$  increases. Lastly in  $D$  where  $y=0$ , and  $x=2r$ ,  $\dot{y}=\frac{-r\dot{x}}{0}=-\text{Infinity}$ , and there the Ordinate decreases infinitely: And in all the intermediate Points it has all the intermediate Degrees of Increase or Decrease.

## Ex. 2.

To find the Space a descending Body will describe in any Time by the uniform Force of Gravity.

Let  $z$ =Space,  $x$ =Time,  $v$ =Velocity, acquired in that Time. By the Principles of Mechanics  $\dot{z} \propto v\dot{x} \propto x\dot{x}$ , and therefore  $\dot{z} \propto v\dot{x} \propto x\dot{x}$ ; that is the Fluxion of the Space is every where as the Velocity into the Fluxion of Time; that is, (because the Velocity is as the Time) as the Time into the Fluxion of the Time.

Now if only the Ratio and Space be required, it will be sufficient to take the Fluent; and then  $z \propto \frac{x^2}{2}$ ,  
or

or  $z \propto x^2$ , that is, the Space is always as the Square of the Time.

But if the absolute Quantity of the Space is sought, we must reduce the general Proportion or its Fluxion to an Analogy from some particular known Case. Thus it is known by Experiment, that in the Time  $t$  or 1 Second, a Body would acquire such a Velocity as to move through  $s$  or  $32\frac{1}{6}$  Feet uniformly in that Time, or to have descended through  $\frac{1}{2}s$  or  $16\frac{1}{6}$  Feet in that Time. Whence

$$t : s :: \dot{x} : \frac{s\dot{x}}{t} = \text{Fluxion of the Space } z \text{ when } x=t.$$

wherefore from the general Analogy ( $\dot{z} \propto x\dot{x}$ ) we have  $\frac{s\dot{x}}{t}$ :

$$t\dot{x} :: \dot{z} : x\dot{x}, \text{ and } \dot{z} = \frac{s\dot{x}}{t}, \text{ and finding the Fluent, } z = \frac{s\dot{x}^2}{2t}, \text{ which needs no Correction (because when } z=0, x=0.)$$

Or thus from the Fluxion and Fluent,  $\frac{s\dot{x}}{t} : t\dot{x} :: z :$

$$\frac{x^2}{2}, \text{ whence } z = \frac{sxx}{2tt}.$$

Or lastly thus, since  $\frac{1}{2}s = z$ , when  $t=x$ , therefore from the general Analogy ( $z \propto xx$ ) it will be  $\frac{1}{2}s : tt :: z : xx$ ; whence  $z = \frac{sxx}{2tt}$ , and thus the same Equation is obtained any of these Ways.

Ex. 3.

*If a Body is projected upwards with a given Velocity  $a$ , to find how far it will ascend in any Time  $x$ .*

Let  $z$  = Space,  $v$  = it's Velocity; then by Mechanics  $\dot{z} \propto v\dot{x}$ . Now since the first Velocity is given, therefore the Space  $s$  which would be uniformly described in a given Time  $t$  will be given; wherefore

$$t : s :: \dot{x} : \frac{s\dot{x}}{t} = \text{Moment of the Space } \dot{z} \text{ at the first Instant,}$$

FIG. Instant, that is when  $a=v$ . therefore from the general Proportion  $(\dot{z} \propto v\dot{x}) \frac{s\dot{x}}{t} : a\dot{x} :: \dot{z} : v\dot{x} :: \dot{z} : v\dot{x}$ ; whence  $\dot{z} = \frac{sv\dot{x}}{ta}$ . but the Velocity the Body loses is as the Time, therefore  $t : a :: x : \frac{ax}{t} = \text{Velocity lost}$ , whence  $v = a - \frac{ax}{t}$ , therefore  $\dot{z} = \frac{s\dot{x}}{t} - \frac{sxx}{tt}$ ; and the Fluent  $z = \frac{sx}{t} - \frac{sx^2}{2tt}$ , which needs no Correction.

Hence if  $x$  be greater than  $2t$ , the Body will have descended again below the Point it was projected from.

Ex. 4.

*To find the Time wherein a given Cylinder of Water will empty itself by a Hole at the Bottom.*

2. Let  $AC = b$ ,  $CE = x$ ,  $AE = b - x$ ,  $t = \text{Time of running out with the first Velocity}$ ,  $z = \text{Time fought}$ . Now the Moment of the Quantity running out  $\propto \dot{z} \times \text{Velocity}$ : but the Velocity is as  $\sqrt{CE}$ , and the Moment of the Quantity is as the Moment of  $AE$ , or  $-x$ , whence  $-x \propto \dot{z}\sqrt{x}$ , therefore  $\dot{z} \propto \frac{-\dot{x}}{\sqrt{x}}$ ; But  $b : t :: -\dot{x} : \frac{-t\dot{x}}{b} = \text{Moment of the Time at the first Instant}$ .

Therefore (from the general Proportion  $\dot{z} \propto \frac{-\dot{x}}{\sqrt{x}}$ ),  $\frac{-t\dot{x}}{b} : \frac{-\dot{x}}{\sqrt{b}} :: \dot{z} : \frac{-\dot{x}}{\sqrt{x}} : \dot{z} : \frac{-\dot{x}}{\sqrt{x}}$ , whence  $\dot{z} = \frac{-t\dot{x}}{\sqrt{bx}}$ , and the Fluent is  $z = \frac{-2tx^{\frac{1}{2}}}{\sqrt{b}}$ ; but in the Point  $A$ ,  $z=0$ , and  $x=b$ , therefore the Fluent corrected (by Prop. XII.) is  $z = 2t - \frac{2tx^{\frac{1}{2}}}{\sqrt{b}}$ ; and when  $x=0$ , then the whole Time  $z=2t$ .

Ex. 5.

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To find the Time wherein a given Frustum of a Cone will empty itself by a Hole in the Bottom.

Let the Cone be compleated and put  $VG=p$  the Altitude.  $TG=b$  the Height of the Frustum,  $TS=x$ , Circle  $CD=d$ ,  $VT=b$ ,  $t$ =Time of running out with the first or greatest Velocity,  $z$ =Time sought. Proceeding here as in the last Example, you will find  $\dot{z}\sqrt{x} \propto$  Moment of the Quantity  $\alpha - \dot{x} \times$  Circle  $EF \propto$

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$\frac{-d\dot{x}}{pp} \times \overline{b+x^2}$ . Therefore  $\dot{z} \propto \frac{-d\dot{x}}{pp\sqrt{x}} \times \overline{b+x^2}$ ; then

$$\frac{-t\dot{x}}{b} : \frac{-d\dot{x}}{\sqrt{b}} :: \dot{z} : \frac{-d\dot{x}}{pp\sqrt{x}} \times \overline{b+x^2} :: \dot{z} : \frac{-d\dot{x}}{pp\sqrt{x}} \times$$

$\overline{b+x^2}$ , from the general Analogy; therefore  $\dot{z} =$

$$\frac{-t\dot{x}}{pp\sqrt{bx}} \times \overline{b+x^2}. \text{ And the Fluent is } z = \frac{-t}{pp\sqrt{b}} \times$$

$$: 2bbx^{\frac{1}{2}} + \frac{4}{3}bx^{\frac{3}{2}} + \frac{2}{5}x^{\frac{5}{2}}; \text{ and when corrected, the}$$

$$\text{whole Time } z = t \times \frac{2bb + \frac{4}{3}bb + \frac{2}{5}bb}{pp}.$$

And if the Frustum were inverted, the Time would be found to be  $t \times \frac{2pp - \frac{4}{3}pb + \frac{2}{5}bb}{bb}$ .

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If  $EF$  be the double Ordinate in any Curve  $CA$ ; the Time of running out might have been found the same way, only by substituting the Value of  $CA$  or  $y$  had from the Nature of the Curve, into the Equation

$$\dot{z} = \frac{-ty^2\dot{x}}{d\sqrt{bx}}, \text{ and then finding the Fluent.}$$

## Ex. 6.

Let  $ACE$  be (the Section of) a Wall supporting a Fluid behind it, and joining to the perpendicular Side  $AC$ ; To find the Curve  $ADE$  terminating the other Side of the Wall, so that its Strength may be every where as the Pressure it sustains.

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FIG. Let  $AC=b$ ,  $AB=x$ ,  $BD=y$ . The Effect which any Number of Particles of the Fluid pressing at  $B$  have to break the Wall at  $C$ , is as  $CB \times$  Number of Particles  $\times$  their Force, that is  $\propto \overline{b-x} \times \dot{x} \times x$ , (because the Number is as  $\dot{x}$ , and the Pressure or Force as  $x$ ). And the Sum of all the Forces acting on  $AB$  to break  $C$  is as the Sum of all the  $\overline{b-x} \times x \dot{x}$ , that is as the Fluent of  $b x \dot{x} - x^2 \dot{x}$ , and therefore as  $\frac{bx^2}{2} - \frac{x^3}{3}$ , and when  $x=b$ , the whole Pressure on  $AC$  to break it at  $C$  will be  $\frac{1}{6}b^3$ ; therefore the Effects of the Pressure at  $B$  and  $C$  will be as  $AB^3$  and  $AC^3$ . But the Strength of the Wall in  $B$  and  $C$  is supposed to be as these Forces, and by Mechanics 'tis known to be as  $BD^2$  and  $CE^2$ ; Therefore  $AB^3 : AC^3 :: BD^2 : CE^2$ , that is  $y^2 \propto x^3$ ; And the Curve  $ADE$  is a Semicubical Parabola whose Vertex is  $A$ , and therefore convex towards  $AC$ .

Ex. 7.

4. Suppose a Wind to blow against the perpendicular Side  $AC$  of the Wall  $ACE$ ; to find the Curve  $ADE$  bounding the other Side, so as the Strength of it be every where as the Force it sustains.

Let  $AB=x$ ,  $BD=y$ ,  $AC=b$ . The Force of any Particles at  $B$  to break the Wall at  $C$  is as  $CB \times$  Number of Particles  $\propto \overline{b-x} \times \dot{x}$ , or  $\propto \overline{b-x} \times x \dot{x}$ ; and therefore the whole Force of all the Particles on  $AB$  to break the Wall at  $C$  is  $\propto$  the Fluent of  $b x \dot{x} - x^2 \dot{x}$   $\propto b x^2 - \frac{x^3}{2}$ ; therefore the Force to break it at  $C$  by all the Particles on  $AC$  is  $\frac{1}{2}bb$  or as  $bb$ , and this must be as the Strength of the Wall or as  $CE^2$ ; consequently  $x^2 \propto y^2$  and  $x \propto y$ , therefore  $ADE$  is a right Line.

Ex. 8.



## Ex. 8.

Let  $ABC$  be a heavy Body,  $BC$  a Spring fixt to the F I G.  
 Block  $D$ : Let  $AB$  be close thrust up to  $C$ , that the 5.  
 Spring may be close Bent, and fixt thus to the Stock  
 $D$  by a Pin. To find with what Velocity the Body  
 will be projected by the Force of the Spring when the  
 Pin is suddenly plucked out.

Let  $BC=b$  the Length of the Spring in it's natural  
 Position,  $CN=x$ ,  $v$ = Velocity of the Point  $B$  when  
 it arrives at  $N$ ,  $w$ = Weight of the Body  $AB$ ,  $t$ =  
 Time of describing  $CN$ . By Mechanics or the Laws

of Motion  $\dot{v} \propto \frac{\text{force} \times t}{\text{Body}} \propto$  (by the Nature of a

Spring)  $\frac{b-x}{w} t$ : Likewise by the Laws of Motion  $\dot{t} \propto \frac{\dot{x}}{v}$

therefore  $\dot{v} \propto \frac{b-x}{w} \times \frac{\dot{x}}{v}$ , or  $v\dot{v} \propto \frac{b\dot{x}-x\dot{x}}{w}$ , and find-

ing the Fluent  $v^2 \propto \frac{2bx-xx}{w}$ , and when  $x=b$ ,  $v^2 \propto$

$\frac{bb}{w}$ ; that is the Square of the Velocity is reciprocally

as the Weight of the Body: Consequently, if the Body  
 is projected horizontally the Square of the Distance it  
 is projected to, will also be reciprocally as the Body.

## Ex. 9.

Let  $BC$  be the Quadrant of a Circle,  $A$  the Center; 6.  
 $RS$  parallel to  $BA$ . To find the Nature of the Curve  
 $DFQ$  that constantly bissects the Angle made by  $RF$   
 and the Arch  $FC$ .

Describe the Circle  $nc$  infinitely near  $FC$ , and  
 draw  $npA$ , and  $no$  parallel to  $CA$ ; then since the  
 Angle  $oFn = nFp$ , and Side  $Fn$  common, and the  
 Angles  $o, p$  right, therefore  $on = np$ .

Let  $AS=x$ ,  $SF=y$ ,  $AB$  or  $Ap=v$ ,  $AD=b$ ,  
 and since  $on = np$ , that is  $\dot{x} = \dot{v}$ , therefore  $\dot{x} = \dot{v}$ ,  
 and

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F I G. and the Fluent  $x=v$ , and corrected  $x=v-b$ , or  $b+x=v$ . But by Prop. 47. *Eu.* I.  $\overline{b+x}^2 (=v^2) = yy + xx$ , that is  $bb + 2bx = yy$ ; whence the Curve  $DFQ$  is a Parabola, whose Latus rectum is  $2b$ , and Focus the Point  $A$ .

Ex. 10.

7. To find the Time of the Vibration of a Pendulum in an extremely small Arch of a Circle.

Let the Length of the Pendulum  $CB=r$ , Cord  $AB=c$ ,  $BF=x$ , Arch  $BE=v$ ,  $Ee=\dot{v}$ ,  $Ff=\dot{x}$ , then  $BD=\frac{cc}{2r}$ ,  $BG=\frac{cx}{2r}$ ,  $DG=\frac{c}{2r} \times \overline{c-x}$ ,  $EG$

$$= \sqrt{cx - \frac{ccxx}{4rr}}. \text{ Also let } t = \text{Time of a Body's}$$

descending or ascending through the Cord  $AB$ ,  $z =$  Time of descending or ascending through the Arch  $BE$ ,  $\frac{1}{2}t =$  Time of describing  $AB$  with the Velocity in  $B$ ;

by the Nature of the Circle  $\dot{v} = \frac{c\dot{x}}{2\sqrt{cx - \frac{ccxx}{4rr}}}$ .

The Times of describing any Spaces uniformly are as the Spaces directly and the Velocities reciprocally; but since the Pendulum falls from  $A$  and is supposed to describe the Arch  $AB$  in descending or  $BA$  in ascending, therefore the Velocities in  $B$  and  $E$  are as  $\sqrt{DB}$  and  $\sqrt{DG}$ , or as  $\sqrt{AB}$  and  $\sqrt{AF}$ ; therefore  $\frac{1}{2}t$ :

$$\frac{c}{\sqrt{c}} :: \dot{z} : \frac{\dot{v}}{\sqrt{c-x}} :: \dot{z} : \frac{\dot{v}}{\sqrt{c-x}}; \text{ whence } \dot{z} =$$

$$\frac{t\dot{v}}{2\sqrt{cc-cx}} = \frac{tx^{-\frac{1}{2}}\dot{x}}{2\sqrt{4crr - \frac{4rr}{cc}x + cxx}} = (\text{rejecting}$$

$ccx - ccx$  as extremely small)  $\frac{tx^{-\frac{1}{2}}\dot{x}}{4\sqrt{c-x}}$ : And the

Fluent (by Form the 10th) is  $z = \frac{t}{2r} \times \text{Arch of this}$

this Circle whose Sine is  $r\sqrt{\frac{x}{c}}$ , and when  $x=c$ , then F I G.

$$z = \frac{t}{2r} \times \text{Quadrant } BH = \frac{t}{4} \times 3.1416: \text{ And } 2z$$

or the Time of an entire Vibration is  $= \frac{1}{2}t \times 3.1416;$

$$\text{Or, which is the same thing, } 2z = \frac{3.1416}{2} \times \text{Time}$$

of descending through twice the Length of the Pendulum. Or putting  $s = 16\frac{1}{2}$  Feet,  $r =$  Feet in the

$$\text{Pendulum, then } 2z = \frac{3.1416}{2} \times \sqrt{\frac{2r}{s}}, \text{ in Seconds.}$$

Ex. 11.

To find the meridional Parts for any Latitude.

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Let Radius  $CA=r$ , the given Arch of Latitude  $AB=v$ , Sine  $DB=y$ , meridional Parts of  $AB=z$ .

By Construction of Mercator's Chart, as Cosine of the Latitude  $(\sqrt{rr-yy}) : \text{Radius } (r) :: (\dot{v} : \dot{z} ::) \dot{v} : \dot{z} =$

$$\frac{r\dot{v}}{\sqrt{rr-yy}}, \text{ but by the Nature of the Circle } \dot{v} = \frac{r\dot{y}}{\sqrt{rr-yy}},$$

$$\text{whence } \dot{z} = \frac{r\dot{y}}{rr-yy}; \text{ whence by Form the 6th, } \dot{z} =$$

$$\frac{2.30258r}{2} \times \text{Log. } \frac{r+y}{r-y} = 2.30258r \times \text{Log. } \sqrt{\frac{r+y}{r-y}}.$$

But in the Triangle  $EBF$ , as  $EB (\sqrt{rr-yy}) : \text{Rad.}$

$$(r) :: EF (r+y) : \text{Tangent of the Angle B} = \frac{r \times r + y}{\sqrt{rr-yy}}$$

$$= r\sqrt{\frac{r+y}{r-y}} = \text{Cotangent of half the Complement of the}$$

Latitude  $AB$ , whence  $z = 2.30258r \times \text{Log. Cotangent of}$

half the Complement of the Latitude. And by Correction  $z = 2.302585r \times \text{Log. Cot. of half the Co. Lat.} -$

$2.30258r \times \text{Log. Rad.}$  And since the Meridional Parts in the Tables are expressed in Minutes, therefore  $z =$

$$\frac{2.30258r \times 180 \times 60}{3.14159} \times \text{Log. Cot. } \frac{1}{2} \text{ Co. Lat.} - \text{Log. Rad.}$$

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$$F I G. = 7915,705r \times \text{Log.} \frac{\text{Cot. } \frac{1}{2} \text{ Co. Lat.}}{\text{Rad.}} = 7915,705r \times$$

$$\text{Log.} \frac{\text{Radius}}{\text{Tan. } \frac{1}{2} \text{ Co. Lat.}}.$$

Cor. 1. Hence the Meridional Parts for the Difference of Latitude of two Places is  $= 7915,7r \times$  Difference of the Log. Tangents of half their Complements of Latitude.

Cor. 2. Since as Radius : to meridional Difference of Latitude :: so Tangent of the Course : to the Difference of Longitude ; and  $\frac{\text{Rad.} = 1}{7915,705} = ,000126331,$  therefore

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Ex. 12.

9. *To find the Nature of the Curve which a heavy flexible Line will form itself into by its Gravity.*

Let the Line be suspended on the two fixt Points *D, P*, and dispose itself into the Curve *DAP* ; *A* its Vertex, *AQ* its Axis, and *BC* an ordinate.

1. The Part of the Curve *ABD* is kept in its Position by a certain Force at *A* acting in Direction *AZ* parallel to the Horizon ; for if the Line be cut through at *A* it will reduce itself to a perpendicular Position. And this Force acting at *A* is always the same whatever Length the Curve be of ; for if the Line be cut through at *B*, and then the Point *B* fastned to the Plane, it is evident the Force at *A* is neither greater nor less ; for the Resistance of the Point *B* does the same as the Tension of the Line in *B* did before ; and the Force in *A*, or the Tension of the Line in *A* must remain the same.

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2. Let  $a$  = the given Part of the Line, whose Weight is equal to the Tension of the Line in  $A$ , and  $AC=x$ ,  $BC=y$ ,  $AB=z$ , draw the Tangent  $BS$ , and  $BR=BA$ , perpendicular to the Horizon, and  $RS$  parallel to it. The Line  $BA$  is sustained by three Forces, for its Gravity acts in Direction  $BR$ , it is drawn at  $A$  in Direction  $AZ$  by the Force  $a$ , and it is sustained in  $B$  by the Tension of the Line in Direction  $SB$ ; and these three Forces being as  $BR$ ,  $RS$ , and  $BS$ , and  $BR=z$  by Construction, therefore the Force  $a=RS$ ; whence by similar Triangles  $BR(z):RS(a)::bo(\dot{x}):Bo(\dot{y})::\dot{x}:\dot{y}$ , and  $a\dot{x}=z\dot{y}$ , which is one Property of the Curve.

3. Take  $Br=Bb$  the Increment of the Curve, draw  $rn$  parallel and  $Bn$  perpendicular to  $BS$ , then is  $nB=Bo$ , and  $rn=bo$ . Since  $BR$  is the perpendicular Force or Weight of the Line at  $B$ ,  $Br$  or  $\dot{z}$  is the Increment thereof, and therefore  $\dot{x}$  is the Increment of the Tension of the Line in  $B$ , and  $\dot{x}$  is the Fluxion of the Tension, and therefore the Fluent  $x$  = Tension or Force acting in Direction  $nr$ ; But in  $A$  where  $x=0$ , this Tension =  $a$ , therefore by Correction. The whole Tension drawing in Direction of the Curve is  $a+x$ ; and this is the Force  $BS$ , as was shewn before: Therefore again by similar Triangles  $a+x(BS):z(BR)::\dot{z}:\dot{x}::\dot{z}:\dot{x}$ , whence  $a\dot{x}+x\dot{x}=z\dot{z}$ , and the Fluent  $2ax+xx=zz$ , which is another Property of the Curve.

4. If the Point  $B$  be so taken that the Angle  $RBS$  or  $SBC$  be half a right Angle, then will  $AB$  or  $z$  be  $=a$ : for then  $\dot{x}=\dot{y}$ , and  $z=(\frac{a\dot{x}}{\dot{y}})=a$ .

5. Since  $\dot{y}=\frac{a\dot{x}}{z}=\frac{a\dot{x}}{\sqrt{2ax+xx}}=\frac{a\dot{z}}{\sqrt{aa+zz}}$ ; therefore, by Form the 9th,  $y=2.30258ax$   
 $\text{Log.} \frac{a+x+\sqrt{2ax+xx}}{a}=2.30258ax \text{ Log.} \frac{z+\sqrt{aa+zz}}{a}$ ,

whence the Curve may be easily constructed.

Ex. 13.

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- FIG. 10. *To find the Nature of the Curve BM in which a Body moving (after its fall through AB), it shall descend equal Spaces in equal Times.*

Let  $AB=a$ ,  $BP=x$ ,  $PM=y$ , now since the Velocities of Bodies are as the Spaces described in equal Times, and the Squares of the Velocities are as the Heights fallen from; therefore  $a : a + x :: (\text{Square of the Velocity in the Axis at } P : \text{to Square of the Velocity in the Curve at } M :: Pp^2 : Mm^2 :: \dot{x}^2 : \dot{x}^2 + \dot{y}^2 ::) \dot{x}^2 : \dot{x}^2 + \dot{y}^2$ , and by Division  $a : x :: \dot{x}^2 : \dot{y}^2$ ; therefore  $x\dot{x}^2 = a\dot{y}^2$ , or  $x^{\frac{1}{2}}\dot{x} = a^{\frac{1}{2}}\dot{y}$ , and finding the Fluent  $\frac{2}{3}x^{\frac{3}{2}} = a^{\frac{1}{2}}y$ , or  $ay^2 = \frac{4}{9}x^3$ : Therefore the Curve is a semicubical Parabola convex towards  $BP$ .

Ex. 14.

- II. *If a Body be projected from any Point A parallel to the horizontal Plane BC, and be urged towards that Plane with a Force which is as any Power of its Height above the Plane; to find the Nature of the Curve it will describe.*

Met  $AB=r$ ,  $AD=x$ ,  $DP=y$ ,  $v$  = Velocity acquired in falling through  $AD$ ,  $t$  = Time of falling,  $f$  = Force in  $D$  or  $P$ , which suppose to be as  $BD^n$ .

Now from the Laws of Motion  $\dot{v} \propto ft$ , but  $t \propto \frac{\dot{x}}{v}$

and  $f \propto \overline{r-x}^n$ , therefore  $\dot{v} \propto \frac{\overline{r-x}^n \dot{x}}{v}$ , and  $\dot{v} \propto \frac{\overline{r-x}^n \dot{x}}{v}$

or  $v\dot{v} \propto \overline{r-x}^n \dot{x}$ ; and finding the Fluent  $\frac{vv}{2} \propto$

$\frac{\overline{r-x}^{n+1}}{n+1}$ , but in  $A$ ,  $x=0$ , therefore the Fluent

corrected is  $vv \propto \frac{r^{n+1} - \overline{r-x}^{n+1}}{n+1}$ . But the Fluxi-

on of the Axis is as the Velocity of a descending Body,  
and

and the Fluxion of the Ordinate is as the Fluxion of the Time, or as a given Quantity  $C$ ; therefore

$$\dot{x} : \dot{y} :: (v =) \sqrt{\frac{r^{n+1} - r - x^{n+1}}{n+1}} : b, \text{ whence } \dot{y} = \frac{b\dot{x}}{\sqrt{\frac{r^{n+1} - r - x^{n+1}}{n+1}}}, \text{ or } \dot{y} = \frac{b\dot{x}}{\sqrt{r^{n+1} - r - x^{n+1}}},$$

and the Fluent will give the Nature of the Curve.

Case 1. Let  $n=1$ , then  $\dot{y} = \frac{b\dot{x}}{\sqrt{2rx - xx}}$ ; describe the Quadrant  $AEF$ ; then by the Nature of the Circle, Arch  $AE =$  Fluent of  $\frac{r\dot{x}}{\sqrt{2rx - xx}}$ , therefore take  $y$  or  $DP = \frac{b}{r} \times$  Arch  $AE$ , and  $P$  will be in the Curve required.

Case 2. Let  $n=0$ , then  $\dot{y} = \frac{b\dot{x}}{\sqrt{x}}$ , and  $y = 2b\sqrt{x}$ , or  $2bbx = yy$ ; therefore the Curve will be a Parabola, as is well known.

Case 3. Suppose  $n=-1$ . Here we must have Recourse to the original Process it self, and there we shall have  $v\dot{v} \propto \frac{\dot{x}}{r-x}$ ; describe the Hyperbola  $HE$  to the Asymptotes  $AB, BC$ ; then the Area  $ADEH =$  Fluent of  $\frac{\dot{x}}{r-x}$ , therefore  $v \propto \sqrt{ADEH}$ , and  $\dot{y} = \frac{b\dot{x}}{\sqrt{\text{Area } ADEH}}$  for the Nature of the Curve  $AP$ .

Case 4. Let  $n=-2$ , then  $\dot{y} = b\dot{x}\sqrt{\frac{rr - rx}{x}}$ . Let  $AE$  be a Cycloid,  $AG=v$ ,  $DE=u$ ,  $AGB$  being the generating Circle; then  $u = v + \sqrt{rx - xx}$ , and  $\dot{u} = \dot{v} + \frac{r-2x}{2\sqrt{rx - xx}}\dot{x} = (\text{because } \dot{v} = \frac{r\dot{x}}{2\sqrt{rx - xx}})$

FIG.  $\dot{x}\sqrt{\frac{r-x}{x}}$ . But  $\dot{y} = br^{\frac{1}{2}} \times \dot{x}\sqrt{\frac{r-x}{x}}$ , whence  $y = bu\sqrt{r}$ , therefore take  $DP = b\sqrt{r} \times DE$ , and  $P$  will be in the Curve.

Case 5. Let  $n = -3$ ; then  $\dot{y} = \frac{br \times r\dot{x} - x\dot{x}}{\sqrt{2rx - xx}}$ , whence  $y = br\sqrt{2rx - xx}$ , and the Curve is an Ellipsis whose Semi-axis is  $AB$ .

Ex. 15.

15. To know whether a given Curve Line be concave or convex towards its Axis, in any given Point thereof.

Let  $AB$  be the Axis,  $BC$  any Ordinate, take  $DB = BF$ , and draw the Ordinates  $De$ ,  $Fo$  infinitely near  $BC$ ; draw  $en$  and  $Cg$  parallel to  $AB$ , and produce  $eC$  to  $k$ . Now by the Nature of Curvature, if the Curve be concave towards the Axis, in the Point  $C$ , and the Ordinates increase, then the Point  $o$  of the Curve will fall between  $k$  and  $g$ , and therefore the Increment  $go$  is less than  $nC$ , whence  $ok$  or  $go - gk$ , that is  $go - nC$ , will be negative; but  $ok$  is the second Moment of the Ordinate, and that is as the second Fluxion when  $Fk$  and  $De$  approach to, and coincide with  $BC$ ; therefore if the Curve be concave towards the Axis the second Fluxion of the Ordinate will be negative. And the contrary will happen if the Curve is convex towards the Axis. Wherefore

16. Let the Axis  $AB = x$ , Ordinate  $BC = y$ , then compute the Value of  $\ddot{y}$  by the Nature of the Curve, and substitute Numbers for all the Quantities if there be Occasion, then if its Value comes out negative it is concave in that Point, if affirmative it is convex towards the Axis.

Ex. 16.



## Ex. 16.

*A Line being inflated into the Form of a Curve, and F I G.  
kept in that Form by a Force or Pressure acting per- 17.  
pendicularly upon every Point of the Curve; to find the  
Proportion between the Tension of the Curve, and the  
Force acting perpendicularly upon it.*

Let  $AB, BC$  be two equal Particles of the Curve, and let the Force acting on the Particle  $B$  reduce it to the Position  $ABC$ ; compleat the Parallelogram  $ABCE$ , and draw  $AD, CD$ , perpendicular to  $AB, CB$ ; and then the four Points,  $A, B, C, D$ , will lie in a Circle. Let  $AB$  or  $BC = z$ ,  $AD$  or  $CD = r$ : Now by Mechanics the Point  $B$  is acted upon by three Forces  $BA, BC, BE$ ;  $BA$  or  $BC$  is the Tension of the Curve, and  $BE$  is the Force acting perpendicularly against the Curve, therefore these are to one another as  $BA$  to  $BE$ , or (by similar Triangles) as  $\frac{1}{2} BD$  to  $z$ . Let now the Points  $A, C$ , approach to  $B$  and coincide with it, and  $\frac{1}{2} BD$  becomes  $\frac{1}{2} r$ , the Radius of Curvature; and  $z$  is the Particle of the Curve, whereon the Pressure acts: And therefore the Force acting perpendicularly on any Particle of the Curve is to the Tension of the Curve, as that Particle of the Curve is to the Radius of Curvature in that Point.

COR. Therefore if the Particle of the Curve and its Tension be given, the Force acting against that Particle is reciprocally as the Radius of Curvature; that is, directly as the Curvature.

## Ex. 17.

*E A F is a Curve Line supporting a Fluid; to find the 18.  
Nature of the Curve.*

Let the Axis of the Figure  $CA = b, CD = x, DB = y, AB = z$ , let  $z$  be given; By reason of the fluidity of the Water, the Tension of the Curve is equal in all Points, and therefore by the foregoing Example, the Pressure at  $B$  is reciprocally as the Radius of Curvature

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in B. But by the Laws of Hydrostatics the Pressure at B is as the Height  $DB$  or  $y$ , and (by Prob. V. Sect II.) the Radius of Curvature is  $\frac{\dot{z}\dot{y}}{\ddot{x}}$ , therefore  $\frac{1}{y} \propto \frac{\dot{z}\dot{y}}{\ddot{x}}$ , and assuming the given Quantity  $\frac{aa}{2}$ , then  $\frac{aa}{2y} = \frac{\dot{z}\dot{y}}{\ddot{x}}$ , or  $\frac{aa\ddot{x}}{2} = yy\dot{z}$ , and the Fluent  $aa\dot{x} = y^2\dot{z}$ ; but in A,  $\dot{x} = \dot{z}$  and  $y = b$ ; therefore the Fluent corrected is  $aa\dot{x} - aa\dot{z} = yy - bb \times \dot{z}$ , or  $aa\dot{x} = \frac{aa + yy - bb \times \sqrt{\dot{x}^2 + \dot{y}^2}}{\sqrt{2aabb + 2bb^2y^2 - 2aa^2y^4}}$ , which reduced gives  $\dot{x} =$

for the Equation of the Curve sought.

COR. Draw  $EK$  perpendicular, and  $IK$  parallel to  $ED$ , and also the Tangent  $EI$ ; then if  $EK = p$ ,  $EI = q$ ,  $s = \text{Area } EAC$ , which is as its Weight, then (by Mechanics)  $p : q :: s : \frac{qs}{p} = \text{Tension of the Curve}$ , (whence by the foregoing Example) since  $y\dot{z} = \text{Pressure at B}$ , it will be  $y\dot{z} : \frac{qs}{p} :: \dot{z} : \frac{\dot{z}\dot{y}}{\ddot{x}}$ , and thence  $\frac{qs\ddot{x}}{p} = yy\dot{z} = \frac{aa}{2}\ddot{x}$ , and therefore  $\frac{2qs}{p} = aa$ .

And let these few Examples here suffice to shew the Application of the Rules to the Calculation of particular Problems. We will now proceed to the Resolution of more general Problems in Mathematics and Philosophy.

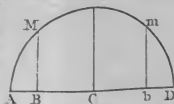
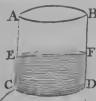
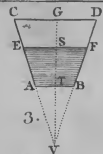


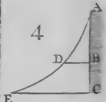
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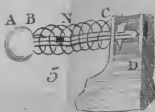
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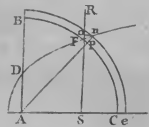
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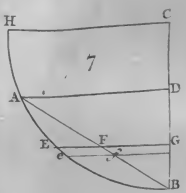
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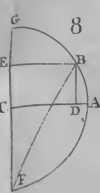
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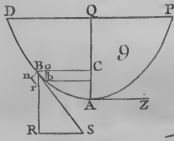
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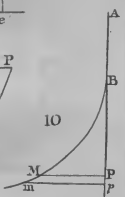
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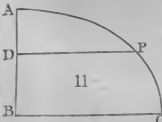
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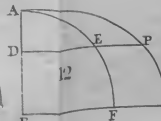
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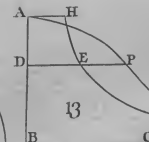
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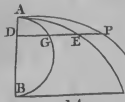
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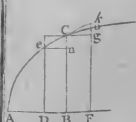
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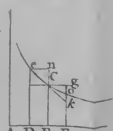
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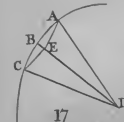
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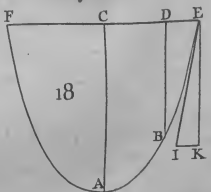
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## S E C T. II.

*The Investigation and Solution of some  
of the most general and useful Pro-  
blems in the Mathematics.*

### P R O B. I.

*To determine the Maxima and Minima of  
Quantities.*

**W**HEN a Quantity is required to be the greatest or least possible, under certain Conditions, it is called a Maximum or Minimum; and at that Moment it neither increases nor decreases, and therefore its Fluxion is nothing. Now since any Quantity is a Maximum or Minimum, when its Fluxion is nothing, upon the Supposition of only one variable Quantity therein, and the same is true when any other Quantity alone is supposed variable: Consequently when there are several variable Quantities in the Maximum or Minimum, then each of these Fluxions must be separately equal to nothing. Therefore

1. Put the constant Quantity  $m$  for the Maximum or Minimum required; and get an Equation involving  $m$ ,  
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by help of which and other given Equations, exterminate as many of the variable Quantities as you please, if there be several: Then put the remaining Equations into Fluxions, and for each Equation exterminate one Fluxion, till you have but one Equation; in which (brought all to one Side) make the Sum of all the Terms multiplying each particular Fluxion, separately  $=0$ , and you will get as many Equations, which, together with those at first given, will determine all the unknown Quantities.

2. But when the Fluxion of any single Quantity is found  $=0$ , then that Quantity itself is either a Maximum or a Minimum, or a standing Quantity. Or if an impossible Equation come out, the Quantity will have no Maximum or Minimum but what is infinite. Oftentimes the Equation will have several Roots, all which must be separately tried to see which of them will answer the Conditions of the Question, and give the Maximum or Minimum required; and this is done by putting the single variable Quantity in the Maximum or Minimum equal to several successive Values expressed in Numbers.

SCHOL. Concerning curvilinear Spaces, it is in Effect the same Thing to seek the greatest Area contained under a given Perimeter, as to seek a given Area under the least Perimeter. The same will hold in Respect of Solids and their Surfaces.

### Example 1.

To find  $xz+yy$  a Minimum, so that  $x+y+z=b$ .

Put  $xz+y^2=m$ , and expunging  $z$ ,  $bx-xx-xy+yy=m$ . In Fluxions  $b\dot{x}-2x\dot{x}-y\dot{x}-x\dot{y}+2y\dot{y}=0$ . And taking the homologous Terms,  $b\dot{x}-2x\dot{x}-y\dot{x}=0$ , and  $2y\dot{y}-x\dot{y}=0$ , whence  $2x+y=b$ , and  $x=2y$ ; and therefore  $y=\frac{1}{3}b$ ,  $x=\frac{2}{3}b$ ,  $z=\frac{1}{3}b$ .

Or thus;

Since  $xz+yy=m$ , in Fluxions  $x\dot{z}+z\dot{x}+2y\dot{y}=0$ , also from the Equation  $x+y+z=b$ , we have  $\dot{x}+\dot{y}+\dot{z}=0$ ; and expunging  $\dot{z}$ , we get  $-x\dot{x}-x\dot{y}+z\dot{x}+2y\dot{y}=0$ ,

$2y\dot{y} = 0$ , and therefore  $z\dot{x} - x\dot{z} = 0$ , or  $z = x$ ; and F I G.  
 $2y\dot{y} - x\dot{y} = 0$ , or  $x = 2y$ , whence  $x, y, z$  are found the  
 same as before.

Note, In this Example if  $x$  be given there will be  
 a Minimum, but the Maximum is infinite; And if  
 $y$  be given there will be only a Maximum:  
 Therefore in general there is no Maximum or  
 Minimum but what is infinite.

## Ex. 2.

To find  $x$  the greatest in this Equation  $x^3 - ax^2 + axy - y^3 = 0$ .

For  $x$  write  $m$  and the Equation is  $m^3 - am^2 + amy - y^3 = 0$ ; In Fluxions  $am\dot{y} - 3y^2\dot{y} = 0$ , whence  $3y^2 = am$ ,  
 by which and the former Equation  $m$  and  $y$  are de-  
 termined.

## Ex. 3.

To find a Cylinder of a given Solidity  $b$ , with the least  
 whole Surface.

Let  $y =$  Altitude,  $x =$  Diameter of the Base,  $c =$   
 $3.1416$ , then  $\frac{cx^2y}{4} = b$ , and  $\frac{cx}{2} =$  Sum of the  
 Bases,  $cx y =$  convex Surface  $= \frac{4b}{x}$ ; therefore  $\frac{cx^2}{2}$   
 $+ \frac{4b}{x} = m$ : In Fluxions  $cx\dot{x} - \frac{4b\dot{x}}{xx} = 0$ , which  
 reduced gives  $x = \sqrt[3]{\frac{4b}{c}}$ , and thence  $y = \sqrt[3]{\frac{4b}{c}} = x$ .

## Ex. 4.

In the Semicircle  $ABC$ , to find the rectangle  $ADB$  a  
 Maximum. 19.

Let  $AC = a$ ,  $AD = x$ ,  $DB = \sqrt{ax - xx}$ , then  
 $x\sqrt{ax - xx} = m$ , or  $ax^3 - x^4 = m^2$ ; In Fluxions  $3ax^2\dot{x}$   
 $- 4x^3\dot{x} = 0$ , whence  $x = \frac{3}{4}a$ .

## Ex. 5.

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FIG. 20. Given the Base  $AB$  and Perpendicular  $CD$ , in a Triangle  $ACB$ , to find the Angle  $ACB$ , the greatest possible.

Bisect  $AB$  in  $E$ , and let  $CD=p$ ,  $AE=q$ ,  $ED=y$ :  
and by Trigonometry ( $CB$ )  $\sqrt{pp+qq-2qy+yy}$ :

(Radius)  $R :: p :: \frac{pR}{\sqrt{pp+qq-2qy+yy}} = S. LB$ ;

and ( $AC$ )  $\sqrt{pp+q+y^2} : (S. LB) \frac{pR}{\sqrt{pp+q+y^2}}$

$:: 2q :: \frac{2pqR}{\sqrt{pp+q+y^2} \times \sqrt{pp+q-y^2}} = S. LC$

$= m$ , and  $p^4 + 2ppqq + q^4 + 2p^2y^2 - 2q^2y^2 + y^4 = \frac{4ppqqR^2}{mm}$ : In Fluxions  $4pp\dot{y}\dot{y} - 4qq\dot{y}\dot{y} + 4y^3\dot{y} = 0$ ,

and  $y^3 = qq - pp \times y$ , and one of the Roots is  $y=0$ ; the other Quantity  $y^2 = qq - pp$  is an impossible Equation when  $p$  is bigger than  $q$ ; wherefore the Point  $D$  falls in  $E$ .

## Ex. 6.

21. The Point  $P$  being given in the Transverse of the Ellipsis  $ADR$ ; to find  $PB$  the nearest Distance to the Curve.

Let  $AC=t$ ,  $CD=c$ ,  $AP=p$ ,  $PR=q$ ,  $PQ=x$ ;

then  $QB^2 = \frac{cc}{tt} \times pq + qx - px - xx$ , and  $PB^2 = \frac{cc}{tt} \times$

$\frac{pq + qx - px - xx}{ccqx - ccpx - 2ccxx} + xx = m^2$ ; In Fluxions

$\frac{cc \times p - q}{2 \times tt - cc} = \frac{cc}{tt - cc} \times CP$ .

Note, if  $CP$  be greater than  $\frac{tt-cc}{t}$ , then  $x$  will be greater than  $PR$ , which the Nature of the Question will not admit.

## Ex. 7.



## Ex. 7.

To draw the Line  $EF$  to touch the Angle  $C$  of the  $FIG.$   
 Rectangle  $ABCD$ , so that the Part, contain'd between 22.  
 the Sides  $AB$ ,  $AD$  produced, may be a Minimum.

Let  $AD=a$ ,  $AB=b$ ,  $EB=x$ ,  $EA=b+x$ , then  
 $AF = \frac{ab+ax}{x}$ , and  $EF = \sqrt{b+x^2} + \frac{aa}{xx} \sqrt{b+x^2} = m$ ,

or  $bb + 2bx + xx + \frac{aabb}{xx} + \frac{2ab}{x} + aa = m^2$ ; This

in Fluxions is  $2b\dot{x} + 2x\dot{x} - \frac{2aabb\dot{x}}{x^3} - \frac{2aabb\dot{x}}{xx} = 0$ ;

reduced is  $x^4 + bx^3 - aabbx - aabb = 0$ , divided by  
 $x + b = 0$ , one of the Roots, and then  $x^3 - aab = 0$ ,

and  $x = \sqrt[3]{aab}$ , or from the other Equation  $x = -b$ .

Or thus :

By similar Triangles  $x : a :: b : \frac{ba}{x} = DF$ , then

$EF = \sqrt{aa+xx} + \sqrt{bb + \frac{aabb}{xx}} = m$ ; In Fluxions

$\frac{xx\dot{x}}{\sqrt{aa+xx}} - \frac{aabb\dot{x}}{x^3\sqrt{bb + \frac{aabb}{xx}}} = 0$ ; reduced  $x^3 = aab$ .

## Ex. 8.

To find a Cone of the greatest Solidity under a given  
 convex Surface and Base  $b$ .

Let the Diameter of the Base  $= x$ , Side  $= v$ ,  
 $c = 3,1416$ , then the Surface  $= \frac{cxx}{4} + \frac{cxv}{2} = b$ , and

Solidity  $= \frac{cxx}{12} \sqrt{vv - \frac{1}{4}xx} = m$ ; And expunging  $v$ ,

$\frac{cxx}{12} \sqrt{\frac{4bb}{c^2xx} - \frac{2b}{c}} = m$ , or  $4bbxx - 2bcx^4 = 144m^2$ ;

In Fluxions,  $8bbx\dot{x} - 8bcx^3\dot{x} = 0$ ; reduced  $x^2 = \frac{b}{c}$ ;

hence

hence  $x = \sqrt{\frac{b}{c}}$ ,  $v = \frac{3}{2}\sqrt{\frac{b}{c}}$ , and Height  $= \sqrt{\frac{2b}{c}}$ , and the Height, Base, and Side will be as  $\sqrt{2}$ , 1 and  $1\frac{1}{2}$ . And the same would be true if a Cone of a given Solidity, under the least Surface was required.

Ex. 9.

To find  $y$  and  $x$  such, that  $ay^3 - y^2x^2 + x^4$  may be a Minimum.

This Equation in Fluxions is  $3ay^2\dot{y} - 2x^2y\dot{y} - 2y^2x\dot{x} + 4x^3\dot{x} = 0$ : And comparing the homologous Terms,  $3ay^2\dot{y} - 2x^2y\dot{y} = 0$ , and  $4x^3\dot{x} - 2y^2x\dot{x} = 0$ ; whence  $3ay^2 = 2x^2y$ , and  $2x^2 = yy$ , and therefore  $3ay = yy$ , and thence  $y = 0$ , or  $y = 3a$ ; hence  $x^2 = 0$ , or  $x^2 = \frac{2}{3}a$ .

Note, If  $y$  be given, the Quantity  $ay^3 - y^2x^2 + x^4$  has a Minimum, but the Maximum is infinite; and if  $x$  be given it has a Minimum, but the Maximum is also infinite: Therefore if neither be given, it has a Minimum, but no Maximum.

Ex. 10.

To find  $xy^2u^3z^4$  a Maximum so that  $x + y + u + z = b$ .

Here  $xy^2u^3z^4 = m$ , and expunging  $x$ ,  $y^2u^3z^4 \times \overline{b - y - u - z} = m$ , or  $b - y - u - z = \frac{m}{y^2u^3z^4}$ ; In Fluxions  $-\dot{y} - \dot{u} - \dot{z} = -\frac{2m\dot{y}}{y^3u^3z^4} - \frac{3m\dot{u}}{y^2u^4z^4} - \frac{4m\dot{z}}{y^2u^3z^5}$ ; and collecting separately the homologous Quantities,  $\dot{y} = \frac{2m\dot{y}}{y^3u^3z^4}$ ,  $\dot{u} = -\frac{3m\dot{u}}{y^2u^4z^4}$ ,  $\dot{z} = \frac{4m\dot{z}}{y^2u^3z^5}$ ; whence  $\frac{m}{y^2u^3z^4} = \frac{y}{2} = \frac{u}{3} = \frac{z}{4} = b - y - u - z$ ; therefore  $u = \frac{2}{3}y$ ,  $z = \frac{4}{3}u = 2y$ , and therefore  $\frac{1}{2}y = b - \frac{2}{3}y$ , or  $y = \frac{2}{5}b$ ; hence  $x = \frac{1}{10}b$ ,  $y = \frac{2}{10}b$ ,  $u = \frac{2}{10}b$ ,  $z = \frac{4}{10}b$ .

Ex. 11.

## Ex. 11.

To find a Trapezoid ABCD of a given Area  $b$ , whose F I G. two Sides and Base  $AB + BC + CD$  shall be the least 23. possible.

Let  $BC = x$ ,  $BA = y$ ,  $CD = u$ , perpendicular  $BE$  or  $CF = z$ . Then  $y + x + u = m$ , and  $z\sqrt{yy - zz} + z\sqrt{uu - zz} + 2zx = 2b$ , or (dividing by  $z$ )  $\sqrt{yy - zz} + \sqrt{uu - zz} + 2x = \frac{2b}{z}$ . Put these Equations into

Fluxions, and  $\dot{y} + \dot{x} + \dot{u} = 0$ , and  $\frac{y\dot{y} - z\dot{z}}{\sqrt{yy - zz}} + \frac{u\dot{u} - z\dot{z}}{\sqrt{uu - zz}}$

$+ 2\dot{x} = \frac{-2b\dot{z}}{zz}$ ; and expunging  $\dot{x}$ ,  $\frac{y\dot{y} - z\dot{z}}{\sqrt{yy - zz}} + \frac{u\dot{u} - z\dot{z}}{\sqrt{uu - zz}} - 2\dot{y} - 2\dot{u} = \frac{-2b\dot{z}}{zz}$ ; whence  $\frac{y\dot{y}}{\sqrt{yy - zz}}$

$- 2\dot{y} = 0$ , and  $4z^2 = 3y^2$ . Also  $\frac{u\dot{u}}{\sqrt{uu - zz}} - 2\dot{u} = 0$ , and thence  $4z^2 = 3uu$ . Therefore  $3y^2 = 3u^2$ , and  $y = u$ . Lastly  $\frac{-z\dot{z}}{\sqrt{yy - zz}} - \frac{z\dot{z}}{\sqrt{uu - zz}} = \frac{-2b\dot{z}}{zz}$ ,

that is  $\frac{z^3}{\sqrt{yy - zz}} + \frac{z^3}{\sqrt{uu - zz}} = 2b$ ; and expunging

$z$  and  $u$ ,  $\frac{z^3}{\frac{1}{2}y} + \frac{z^3}{\frac{1}{2}u} = \frac{4z^3}{y} = \frac{2}{3}y^2\sqrt{3} = 2b$ , and  $y$

$= 2\sqrt[4]{\frac{bb}{27}} = \frac{2}{3}\sqrt[4]{3bb} = u$ , and  $x = \frac{b}{z} - \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{yy - zz}$

$- \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{uu - zz} = \frac{2}{3}\sqrt[4]{3bb}$ ; and  $z = \sqrt[4]{\frac{bb}{3}}$ . Hence

$AB = 2AE = 2FD$ , and  $AB = BC = CD$ : And the Figure is inscribed in a Semicircle, whose Diameter is  $AD$ .

## Ex. 12.

FIG. 24. Given the Velocity of a Projectile and its Height  $AB$  above the Horizon; To find the Angle of Elevation  $LAG$  to throw it to the greatest Distance possible on the Horizontal Plane  $BC$ .

Let  $s=AD$  the Space describ'd in a given Time,  $d=DE$  the Space describ'd by a falling Body in the same Time;  $b=AB$ ; Let  $AG$  be the Line of Projection,  $AL$  parallel to  $BC$ ,  $GL=x$ , then by the Laws of falling Bodies,  $d : b+x :: ss : \frac{bss+ssx}{d} = AG^2$ .

Therefore  $AL = \sqrt{\frac{bss+ssx}{d}} - xx = BC = m$ , or  $bss + ssx - dxx = dmm$ ; in Fluxions,  $ss\dot{x} - 2d\dot{x}x = 0$ , whence  $x = \frac{ss}{2d}$ . Therefore  $AG = \frac{s}{2d} \sqrt{4bd+2ss}$ ,

$AL = \frac{s}{2d} \sqrt{4bd+ss}$ ,  $AC = b + \frac{ss}{2d} = CG$ ; whence the Angle  $FAC$  is bisected by the Line of Elevation  $AG$ ; and  $\sqrt{4bd+ss} : s :: (AL : GL ::)$  Rad : Tangent of the Angle of Elevation  $LAG$ .

## P R O B. II.

To find the Logarithms of Numbers.

Logarithms are a certain Set of Numbers, so contriv'd to answer to a Set of Numbers in their natural Order, that the Sum of the Logarithms of any two Numbers shall be the Logarithm of the Product of these Numbers.

Hence therefore, since  $1 \times 1 = 1$ , the Log. of 1 + Log. 1 = Log. 1, that is the Log. 1 = 0.

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Also let  $AB=C$ , then  $\text{Log. } A + \text{Log. } B = \text{Log. } C$ ;  
and thence  $\text{Log. } A$  or  $\text{Log. } \frac{C}{B} = \text{Log. } C - \text{Log. } B$ .

Again,  $\text{Log. } A^2 = \text{Log. } A + \text{Log. } A = 2 \text{ Log. } A$ ;  
And  $\text{Log. } A^3 = \text{Log. } A + \text{Log. } A + \text{Log. } A = 3 \text{ Log. } A$ ;  
And for the same Reason  $\text{Log. } A^n = n \times \text{Log. } A$ .

Lastly, let  $AB=1$ , then  $\text{Log. } A + \text{Log. } B = \text{Log. } 1 = 0$ ; therefore if the  $\text{Log. } B$  (or the  $\text{Log.}$  of a Number greater than 1) be affirmative, the  $\text{Log.}$  of  $A$  (a Number less than 1) is negative.

From what has been said it follows, that if there be a Set of Numbers in geometrical Progreſſion proceeding from 1 both Ways *ad infinitum*; and another Set corresponding thereto, in arithmetic Progreſſion proceeding both Ways from 0; then theſe latter will represent the Logarithms of the former, and both will be expreſſed in the following Form,

Numbers,  $\frac{1}{n^3}, \frac{1}{n^2}, \frac{1}{n}, 1, n, n^2, n^3, n^4, \text{ \&c.}$

Logarithms,  $-3l, -2l, -l, 0, l, 2l, 3l, 4l, \text{ \&c.}$

Now let the Number of geometrical Proportionals be increas'd and their Differences decreas'd *ad infinitum*, that the Series may contain all poſſible Numbers; and let the arithmetic Proportionals be in like Manner increas'd; and then the arithmetic Series will alſo contain the Logarithms of all Numbers.

Therefore let  $n^p$  be any Number, and  $pl$  its  $\text{Log.}$  then the Increment of that Number will be  $n^{p+1} - n^p$ , this Increment divided by the Number itſelf, gives  $\frac{n^{p+1} - n^p}{n^p} = n - 1$ ; likewise the Increment of the

Logarithm is  $p+1 \times l - pl$ , that is  $l$ . Now ſince  $n-1$  and  $l$  are the ſame for any Number and its Logarithm, therefore the Increment of the Logarithm will always be in a given Ratio to the Increment of the Number

divided by the Number, therefore if we put  $x =$  Number, and  $z =$  its Logarithm, and assume the given Quantity  $M$ , we shall have  $\dot{z} = M \times \frac{\dot{x}}{x}$ ; and since the Fluxions are as the evanescent Increments, therefore  $\dot{z} = M \times \frac{\dot{x}}{x}$ , and the Fluent  $z = M \times$  Fluent of  $\frac{\dot{x}}{x}$ . Therefore,

*To find the Logarithm of a Number, divide the Fluxion of the Number proposed, by the Number it self; and find the Fluent, which multiply by the constant Quantity  $M$ , and it will give the Logarithm thereof.*

SCHOL. When  $M=1$ , the Logarithms are called the Hyperbolic Logarithms; in which Case, the Fluxion of the Logarithm is equal to the Fluxion of the Number divided by the Number.

#### Ex. 1.

*To find the Log. of  $bx$ .* Here the Fluxion of the Log. is  $M \frac{b\dot{x}}{bx} = M \frac{\dot{x}}{x}$ ; but the Fluent of  $M \frac{\dot{x}}{x} =$  Log.  $x$ , therefore the Log.  $bx =$  Log.  $x$ . But when  $x=1$ , then Log.  $bx =$  Log.  $b$ , and Log.  $x = 0$ ; therefore the Fluent corrected is Log.  $bx -$  Log.  $b =$  Log.  $x$ ; that is Log.  $bx =$  Log.  $b +$  Log.  $x$ .

This finds the Logarithm of a Product having the Logarithms of the two Factors given.

#### Ex. 2.

*To find the Logarithm of  $x^n$ .* Here the Fluxion of its Logarithm  $= M \times \frac{n x^{n-1} \dot{x}}{x^n} = M \times \frac{n \dot{x}}{x}$ ; and taking the Fluent, Log.  $x^n =$  Fluent of  $M \times \frac{n \dot{x}}{x} = n \times$  Log.  $x$ , which needs no Correction (because when  $x=1$ ,  $x^n=1$ , and Log.  $x=0$ .)

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This gives a Rule for finding the Logarithm of any Power or Root of a Quantity, when the Log. of the Quantity is known.

Ex. 3.

To find the Log.  $\frac{n+x}{n}$ . The Fluxion of the Log.  
 is  $= M \times \frac{\dot{x}}{n+x} = M \times : \frac{\dot{x}}{n} - \frac{x\dot{x}}{n^2} + \frac{x^2\dot{x}}{n^3} - \frac{x^3\dot{x}}{n^4} +$   
 $\&c$ ; therefore the Log.  $\frac{n+x}{n} = M \times : \frac{x}{n} - \frac{x^2}{2n^2} +$   
 $\frac{x^3}{3n^3} - \frac{x^4}{4n^4} + \&c$ . If  $x$  be negative the Signs of  
 all the odd Powers must be changed.

After the same Manner the Log.  $\frac{n}{n-x} = M \times : \frac{x}{n}$   
 $+ \frac{x^2}{2n^2} + \frac{x^3}{3n^3} + \frac{x^4}{4n^4} \&c$ .

COR. The Log. of  $b \times \frac{n+x}{n} = \text{Log. } b + M \times : \frac{x}{n}$   
 $- \frac{x^2}{2n^2} + \frac{x^3}{3n^3} - \frac{x^4}{4n^4} \&c$ . And the Log. of  $b \times$   
 $\frac{n}{n-x} = \text{Log. } b + M \times : \frac{x}{n} + \frac{x^2}{2n^2} + \frac{x^3}{3n^3} + \frac{x^4}{4n^4}$   
 $\&c$ .

SCHOL. These Series will find the Log. of a Fraction,  
 or the Log. of a Product having the Log. of  $b$ . And it  
 finds the Log. of any large Number  $n+x$ , having the  
 Log. of  $b$ , and making  $b=n$ .

Ex. 4.

To find the Log. of  $\frac{n+x}{n-x}$ . Its Fluxion is  $= 2 M \times$   
 $\frac{n\dot{x}}{nn-xx} = 2 M \times : \frac{\dot{x}}{n} + \frac{x^2\dot{x}}{n^3} + \frac{x^4\dot{x}}{n^5} + \frac{x^6\dot{x}}{n^7} + \&c$ ;  
 Whence the Fluent or Log.  $\frac{n+x}{n-x} = 2 M \times : \frac{x}{n} + \frac{x^3}{3n^3}$   
 $+$

$+ \frac{x^5}{5n^5} + \frac{x^7}{7n^7} + \text{Ec}$ ; Or the Log.  $\frac{n+x}{n-x} =$   
 $\frac{2M \times \frac{x}{n}}{1} + \frac{eA}{3} + \frac{eB}{5} + \frac{eC}{7} + \frac{eD}{9} \text{ Ec}$ ; where  
 $e = \frac{xx}{nn}$ ,  $A, B, C \text{ Ec}$  are the Numerators of the  
preceding Terms, with their Signs.

COR. The Log. of  $b \times \frac{n+x}{n-x} = \text{Log. } b + \frac{2M \times \frac{x}{n}}{1} +$   
 $\frac{eA}{3} + \frac{eB}{5} + \frac{eC}{7} \text{ Ec}$ .

SCHOL. The Series in this Example very speedily  
finds the Log. of a Fraction when  $x$  is very small, or  
 $n$  very great.

The Series in this Cor. finds the Log. of a Product,  
having the Log.  $b$  one of the Factors given. Like-  
wise it finds the Log. of a large Number  $n+x$ , having  
the Log. of  $b$ , and making  $b=n-x$ , and  $x=1$  or  $\frac{1}{2}$ .

Ex. 5.

To find the Log. of  $n$ , having the Logarithms of  $n-x$   
and  $n+x$  given.

The Fluxion of the Log. of  $\frac{n}{\sqrt{nn-xx}} = \frac{Mxx}{nn-xx}$   
 $= Mx : \frac{xx}{nn} + \frac{x^3}{n^4} + \frac{x^5}{n^6} + \frac{x^7}{n^8} : \text{Ec}$ ; whence  
the Log.  $\frac{n}{\sqrt{nn-xx}} = Mx : \frac{x^2}{2n^2} + \frac{x^4}{4n^4} + \frac{x^6}{6n^6} \text{ Ec}$ ;  
but Log.  $\frac{n}{\sqrt{nn-xx}} = \text{Log. } n - \text{Log. } \sqrt{nn-xx} =$   
 $\text{Log. } n - \frac{\text{Log. } n^2 - x^2}{2} = \text{Log. } n - \frac{\text{Log. } n+x}{2} -$   
 $\frac{\text{Log. } n-x}{2}$ . Therefore  $\text{Log. } n = \frac{\text{Log. } n+x + \text{Log. } n-x}{2}$

+



$$\begin{aligned}
 &+ Mx: \frac{x^2}{2nn} + \frac{x^4}{4n^4} + \frac{x^6}{6n^6} + \mathcal{E}c: \text{ or the Log. } n \\
 &= \frac{\text{Log. } n+x + \text{Log. } n-x}{2} + \frac{\frac{1}{2}Me}{1} + \frac{eA}{2} + \frac{eB}{3} \\
 &+ \frac{eC}{4} + \mathcal{E}c, \text{ where } e = \frac{xx}{nn}; A, B, C, \mathcal{E}c, \text{ the} \\
 &\text{Numerators of the preceding Terms.}
 \end{aligned}$$

SCHOL. This Series is very proper for finding the Log. of a large prime Number  $n$ , having the Log. of the adjoining Numbers  $n-1$  and  $n+1$  given, and therefore  $x=1$ .

Ex. 6.

To find the Log. of  $n$ , having the Logarithms of the adjoining Numbers  $n-1$  and  $n+1$  given.

$$\begin{aligned}
 &\text{Let } 2nn-1=y, \text{ then will } \frac{n}{\sqrt{nn-1}} = \frac{\sqrt{y+1}}{2} \\
 &= \sqrt{\frac{y+1}{y-1}}, \text{ the Fluxion of the Log. of } \sqrt{\frac{y+1}{y-1}} = \\
 &\frac{-\dot{y}}{2y} - \frac{\dot{y}}{y^4} - \frac{\dot{y}}{y^6} - \frac{\dot{y}}{y^8} \mathcal{E}c \times M; \text{ therefore} \\
 &\text{the Log. } \sqrt{\frac{y+1}{y-1}} = \frac{1}{y} + \frac{1}{3y^3} + \frac{1}{5y^5} + \frac{1}{7y^7} \\
 &\mathcal{E}c \times M; \text{ and when } y \text{ is infinite, Log. } \sqrt{\frac{y+1}{y-1}} = 0, \\
 &\text{and } \frac{1}{y} + \frac{1}{3y^3} + \frac{1}{5y^5} \mathcal{E}c = 0, \text{ therefore still} \\
 &\text{the Log. } \sqrt{\frac{y+1}{y-1}} \text{ or Log. } \frac{n}{\sqrt{nn-1}} = Mx: \frac{1}{y} + \\
 &\frac{1}{3y^3} + \frac{1}{5y^5} + \frac{1}{7y^7} \mathcal{E}c; \text{ Whence Log. } n = \\
 &\frac{\text{Log. } n+1 + \text{Log. } n-1}{2} + Mx: \frac{1}{y} + \frac{1}{3y^3} + \frac{1}{5y^5} + \\
 &\frac{1}{7y^7} + \mathcal{E}c,
 \end{aligned}$$

SCHOL.

SCHOL. This Series is for the same Purpose, and converges faster than that in Example the 5th.

Ex. 7.

To find the Logarithm of a large Number  $n$ , having the Logarithms of  $n-x$  and  $n+x$  given.

$$\text{Put } d = \text{Log. } \overline{n+x} - \text{Log. } \overline{n-x} = \text{Log. } \frac{n+x}{n-x}.$$

$$\text{Then the Log. } n - \text{Log. } \overline{n-x} = \text{Log. } \frac{n}{n-x} =$$

$$\frac{\text{Log. } \frac{n+x}{n-x} \times \text{Log. } \frac{n}{n-x}}{\text{Log. } \frac{n+x}{n-x}} = d \times \frac{\text{Log. } \frac{n}{n-x}}{\text{Log. } \frac{n+x}{n-x}} =$$

$$(\text{by Ex. 3 and 4}) d \times \frac{Mx: \frac{x}{n} + \frac{x^2}{2nn} + \frac{x^3}{3n^3} + \frac{x^4}{4n^4} \mathcal{E}c}{2Mx: \frac{x}{n} + \frac{x^3}{3n^3} + \frac{x^5}{5n^5} + \frac{x^7}{7n^7} \mathcal{E}c}$$

$$= \frac{d}{2} x: 1 + \frac{x}{2n} + \frac{x^3}{12n^3} + \frac{7x^5}{180n^5} + \mathcal{E}c, \text{ therefore}$$

$$\text{Log. } n = \text{Log. } \overline{n-x} + \frac{d}{2} x: 1 + \frac{x}{2n} + \frac{x^3}{12n^3} + \frac{7x^5}{180n^5} + \mathcal{E}c: \text{ Or thus, since } \frac{d}{2} = \frac{\text{Log. } \overline{n+x} - \text{Log. } \overline{n-x}}{2}$$

$$\text{therefore Log. } n = \frac{\text{Log. } \overline{n+x} + \text{Log. } \overline{n-x}}{2} + \frac{d}{2} x: \frac{x}{2n} + \frac{x^3}{12n^3} + \frac{7x^5}{180n^5} + \mathcal{E}c.$$

SCHOL. This Series converges far faster than either of the former Examples.

Ex. 8.

To find the Hyperbolic Logarithm of 10.

$$\text{Since } \frac{5^{10} \times 2^{30}}{4^{10} \times 10^9} \text{ or } \frac{5^{10}}{4^{10}} \times \frac{1024^3}{1000} = 10, \text{ therefore}$$

10 Log.

$$10 \text{ Log. } \frac{1}{4} + 3 \text{ Log. } \frac{1024}{1000} = \text{Log. } 10. \text{ By Ex. 4.}$$

$$\text{Log. } \frac{1}{4} = 2M \times \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{1}{9} + \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{1}{9}, \text{ \&c: therefore}$$

$$10 \text{ Log. } \frac{1}{4} = \frac{20}{3} + \frac{Ae}{3} + \frac{Be}{5} + \frac{Ce}{7} + \frac{De}{9} + \text{\&c}$$

$$(\text{putting } e = \frac{1}{11}). \text{ Likewise } 3 \text{ Log. } \frac{1024}{1000} = \frac{18}{253} +$$

$$\frac{Ae}{3} + \frac{Be}{5} + \frac{Ce}{7} \text{ \&c (putting } e = \frac{1}{64009}). \text{ Here}$$

$M=1$ ,  $A$ =first Term of each Series, and  $B, C, D$ ,  
 $\text{\&c}$ , the Numerators of each preceding Term.

The particular Terms of each Series being found  
 will be as follows:

1)	$A =$	2,222222222222222222222222
3)	$Ae =$	91449474165523548239598
5)	$Be =$	677403512337211468441
7)	$Ce =$	5973575946536256335
9)	$De =$	57359439815848826
11)	$Ee =$	579388280968170
13)	$Fe =$	6052489164910
15)	$Ge =$	64759143328
17)	$He =$	705437291
19)	$Ie =$	7792354
21)	$Ke =$	87040
23)	$Le =$	981
25)	$Me =$	11

$$10 \text{ Log. } \frac{1}{4} = 2,2314355131420975576629507$$

	$A =$	,07111462450592885375494071
3)	$Ae =$	33345113214995643214
5)	$Be =$	2813098335561819
7)	$Ce =$	282525950815
9)	$De =$	30896931
11)	$Ee =$	3554

$$3 \text{ Log. } \frac{1024}{1000} = ,0711495798519481263550404$$

$$H. \text{ Log. } 10 = 2.3025850929940456840179911\text{\&c.}$$

COROL. Hence therefore the Number  $M$ , mentioned before and made Use of in the foregoing Examples, will be known for the common Logarithms. For since the common Logarithm of 10 is 1, therefore

$$2.302585 \text{ \&c} \times M = 1. \text{ Whence } M = \frac{1}{2.302585 \text{ \&c}} = .4342944819032518276511289 \text{ \&c}.$$

After the same Manner may *Brig's* or the common Logarithms be found, since we know the Number  $M$ . For let the former Series or  $10 \text{ Log. } \frac{1}{4} = P$ ; the

latter Series or  $\text{Log. } \frac{2^{30}}{10^9} = Q$ ; then the  $\text{Log. } 2 =$

$$\frac{10 - MP}{30} \text{ or } \frac{9 + MQ}{30}, \text{ whence is had the Logarithms}$$

of 4 and 8; likewise the  $\text{Log. } 5 = \frac{20 + MP}{30}$ . And thus,

$$\text{The Log. of } 7 = \text{Log. } 8 \times \frac{7}{8} = \text{Log. } 8 - \frac{\frac{4}{30}M}{1} + \frac{\frac{4}{900}A}{3} + \frac{\frac{4}{900}B}{5} + \frac{\frac{4}{900}C}{7} + \frac{\frac{4}{900}D}{9} \text{ \&c, by Example the 4th. And likewise}$$

$$\text{Log. } 3 = \text{Log. } 2 \times \frac{1}{2} = \text{Log. } 2 - \frac{\frac{4}{10}M}{1} + \frac{\frac{4}{100}A}{3} + \frac{\frac{4}{100}B}{5} + \frac{\frac{4}{100}C}{7} \text{ \&c; from whence is had the Log. of 6 and 9.}$$

$$\text{Or the Log. } 9 = \text{Log. } 10 \times \frac{9}{10} = 1 - \frac{\frac{1}{10}M}{1} + \frac{\frac{1}{10}A}{2} + \frac{\frac{1}{10}B}{3} + \frac{\frac{1}{10}C}{4} \text{ \&c, and Log. } 11 = \text{Log. } 10 \times \frac{11}{10} = 1 + \frac{\frac{1}{10}M}{1} - \frac{\frac{1}{10}A}{2} - \frac{\frac{1}{10}B}{3} - \frac{\frac{1}{10}C}{4} - \text{ \&c.}$$

Both these by Example the 3d. And so for others.

SCHOL. The Rules in Example the 3d and 4th are the only two Methods by which the Logarithm of a Number can be found without the Help of other given Logarithms.

Logarithms. And therefore to find the Log. of a great Number thereby, we must take two or more such fractional Numbers, that the Product of some Powers of these Numbers may make the Number whose Logarithm is sought: And then there will be had two or more Series, which will give the required Logarithm; in the same Manner as is shewn in Example 8 for the Log. of the Number 10.

## P R O B. III.

*To draw Tangents to Curves.*

1. In all geometrical Curves, where there is given the Relation of the Abscissa and Ordinate. Let  $APFI G$ . 25.  
 $=x$ ,  $PM=y$ , and draw  $mp$  parallel and infinitely near to  $MP$ , and  $MR$  parallel to  $AP$ , and draw the Tangent  $MT$ , and let  $Pp$  or  $MR=x$ ,  $Rm=y$ . Then by the similar Triangles  $TPM$  and  $MRm$ ,  $y : x :: y : \frac{yx}{y}$   
 $\frac{yx}{y} = PT$  the Subtangent, that is  $\frac{yx}{y} = PT$ .

Therefore, by Help of the Equation of the Curve, exterminate  $x$  or  $y$  out of the Quantity  $\frac{yx}{y}$ , and you will get the Value of the Subtangent.

2. In mechanical or transcendent Curves refer'd to an Axis, the Subtangent  $\frac{yx}{y}$  may be clear'd of the Fluxions by the Equation of the Curve, by the Help of those of the known Curve it is related to.

3. And in any Curve  $QM$  refer'd to a fixed Point  $A$ ; 26.  
draw  $AT$  perpendicular to  $AM$ , and let  $AM=y=AR$ ,  $Rn=y$ ,  $RM=x$ ; and by similar Triangles  $\frac{yx}{y}$  or  $\frac{yx}{y} = AT$  the Subtangent, out of which the Fluxions may be exterminated as before.

FIG. There are several other Methods of drawing Tangents, but this is the most general and easy.

Example 1.

27. To draw a Tangent to the Circle. Let  $AP = x$ ,  $PM = y$ , Radius  $AC = r$ ; then will  $2rx - xx = yy$ , whence  $2rx - 2x\dot{x} = 2y\dot{y}$ , and  $\dot{x} = \frac{y\dot{y}}{r-x}$ . Therefore  $PT = \frac{y\dot{x}}{\dot{y}} = \frac{yy}{r-x} = \frac{2rx-xx}{r-x}$ .

Ex. 2.

28. To draw a Tangent to the Ellipsis. Let transverse  $AB = 2a$ , Latus rectum  $= b$ ,  $AP = x$ ,  $PM = y$ . Then by the Nature of the Curve  $\frac{2ayy}{b} = 2ax - xx$ , and in Fluxions  $\frac{4ay\dot{y}}{b} = 2a\dot{x} - 2x\dot{x}$ , or  $\dot{y} = \frac{ab\dot{x} - bx\dot{x}}{2ay}$ , consequently  $PT = \frac{y\dot{x}}{\dot{y}} = \frac{2ayy}{ba - bx} = \frac{2ax - xx}{a - x}$ .

Ex. 3.

25. To draw Tangents to all sorts of Parabolas. Let  $AP = x$ ,  $PM = y$ , and  $x = y^m$ , putting the Parameter  $= 1$ . Then  $\dot{x} = my^{m-1}\dot{y}$ , therefore  $PT = \frac{y\dot{x}}{\dot{y}} = my^m = mx$ . And therefore in the common Parabola, where  $m = 2$ ,  $TP = 2x = 2AP$ .

Ex. 4.

25. To draw a Tangent to an Hyperbola. Let  $AP = x$ ,  $PM = y$ , Transverse  $= 2a$ , latus rectum  $= b$ . Then the Property of the Figure is,  $\frac{2ayy}{b} = 2ax + xx$ ; in Fluxions  $\frac{4ay\dot{y}}{b} = 2a\dot{x} + 2x\dot{x}$  or  $\dot{y} = \frac{a\dot{x} + x\dot{x}}{2ay}b$ ; therefore  $PT = \frac{y\dot{x}}{\dot{y}} = \frac{2ayy}{ba + bx} = \frac{2ax + xx}{a + x}$ .

Ex. 5.

Ex. 5.

Let  $MB$  be an Hyperbola between the Affymptotes; F I G.  
Put  $AP=x$ ,  $PM=y$ , and  $aa=xy$ ; then  $xy+y\dot{x}=0$ , 29.

or  $\dot{x} = \frac{-x\dot{y}}{y}$ ; whence  $PT = \frac{y\dot{x}}{\dot{y}} = -x$ , and the negative Sign shews that  $T$  lies on the contrary Side of  $PM$  with  $A$ .

Ex. 6.

To draw a Tangent to the Cissoïd  $AM$ . Let  $AP$  30.  
 $=x$ ,  $PM=y$ ,  $AB=a$ ,  $BC$  the Affymptote. Then by the Nature of the Curve  $ay^2 - xy^2 = x^3$ ; whence

$$2ay\dot{y} - 2xy\dot{y} - y^2\dot{x} = 3x^2\dot{x}, \text{ or } \dot{x} = \frac{2ay - 2xy}{yy + 3xx}\dot{y},$$

$$\text{whence } PT = \frac{y\dot{x}}{\dot{y}} = \frac{2aay - 2xyy}{y^2 + 3x^2}, \text{ or expunging}$$

$$yy, PT = \frac{2ax - 2xx}{3a - 2x}.$$

Ex. 7.

To draw a Tangent to the Conchoid. Let  $CA=b$ , 31.  
 $AV=a$ ,  $AP=x$ ,  $PM=y$ . By the Nature of the Curve,  $b+x\sqrt{aa-xx} = xy$ , whence  $\dot{x}\sqrt{aa-xx} -$

$$\frac{x\dot{x}\times b+x}{\sqrt{aa-xx}} = x\dot{y} + y\dot{x}; \text{ whence } PT = \frac{y\dot{x}}{\dot{y}} =$$

$$\frac{yx\sqrt{aa-xx}}{aa - 2xx - bx - y\sqrt{aa-xx}} = \frac{b+x \times aax - x^3}{-baa - x^3};$$

and being negative, it lies on the contrary Side of  $PM$ .

Otherwise thus;

Let  $AP=v$ ,  $AM=y$ ,  $PM=a$ ,  $AH=b$ ,  $MR=\dot{x}$ ; 32.  
Then by the Nature of the Curve  $v+a=y$ , and

$$\dot{v} = \dot{y}; \text{ and by similar Triangles } Pp = \frac{v\dot{x}}{y}, \text{ and}$$

$$\dot{v} = \frac{v \times Pp}{b} = \frac{v^2\dot{x}}{by}, \text{ and thence } \dot{x} = \frac{by\dot{y}}{vv} \text{ or } \dot{x} =$$

$$\frac{by\dot{y}}{vv}; \text{ therefore } AT = \frac{y\dot{x}}{\dot{y}} = \frac{byy}{vv}.$$

Ex. 8.

## Ex. 8.

- F I G. Let  $AM$  be the Catenary,  $AP=x$ ,  $PM=y$ ,  $AM=z$ ,  
 25. by the Nature of the Curve  $zz=2ax+xx$ , whence  $z\dot{z}$   
 $=a\dot{x}+x\dot{x}$ , and  $\dot{z}=\frac{a+x}{z}\dot{x}$ ; but  $y^2=\dot{z}^2-\dot{x}^2=$   
 $\frac{a+x}{zz}\dot{x}^2-\dot{x}^2=\frac{a+x-zz}{zz}\dot{x}^2=(\text{expunging } zz)$   
 $\frac{aax^2}{zz}$ , and  $\dot{y}=\frac{a\dot{x}}{z}$ ; therefore  $PT=\frac{y\dot{x}}{\dot{y}}=\frac{zy}{a}$ .

## Ex. 9.

33. To draw a Tangent to the Cycloid. Let  $AP=x$ ,  
 $PM=y$ ,  $AC=2a$ ,  $PB=u$ , Arch  $AB=z$ . By the  
 Nature of the Figure  $y=z+u$ , and thence  $\dot{y}=\dot{z}+\dot{u}$ ,  
 but from the Circle  $\dot{z}=\frac{a}{u}\dot{x}$ , and  $\dot{u}=\frac{a-x}{u}\dot{x}$ ; whence  
 $PT=(\frac{y\dot{x}}{\dot{y}}=\frac{y\dot{x}}{\dot{z}+\dot{u}}=)\frac{uy}{2a-x}=\frac{AP}{PB}y$ .

## Ex. 10.

34. To draw a Tangent to the Quadratrix  $AMB$ . Let  
 $AC=b$ ,  $CB=r$ ,  $AP=x$ ,  $PM=y$ ,  $DN=z$ ,  $NI=s$ ,  
 $CM=v$ ,  $NQ=t$ ,  $RM=u$ . Now by the Nature of the  
 Curve  $bz=ry$ , therefore  $b\dot{z}=r\dot{y}$ , and by the Property  
 of the Circle  $rs=tz$ ; whence  $\dot{z}=\frac{r\dot{y}}{b}=\frac{rs}{t}$ , and  
 $\dot{s}=\frac{t\dot{y}}{b}$ . By similar Triangles  $ty=su$ , and thence  
 $t\dot{y}+y\dot{t}=u\dot{s}+s\dot{u}$ , that is (because  $u=b-x$  or  
 $\dot{u}=-\dot{x}$ , and  $rr-ss=tt$  or  $\dot{r}=\frac{-s\dot{s}}{t}$ )  $t\dot{y}-\frac{sy}{t}\dot{y}$   
 $=(us-s\dot{x})=\frac{tu\dot{y}}{b}-s\dot{x}$ : whence  $\dot{x}=\frac{tu\dot{y}}{bs}+\frac{y\dot{y}}{b}$   
 $-\frac{ty}{s}$ . Therefore  $PT=\frac{y\dot{x}}{\dot{y}}=\frac{tuy}{bs}+\frac{y^2}{b}-\frac{ty}{s}$   
 $=(\text{because } u=\frac{ty}{s})\frac{u^2+y^2}{b}-u=\frac{v^2}{b}-u$ .

## Ex. 11.



## Ex. 11.

Let  $AS$  be any given Curve, and  $AM$  another Curve, FIG. 35.  
 such that  $AP = \text{Arch } AS$ , and Ordinate  $PM = AQ$ , to draw the Tangent  $TM$ .

Let  $AP = x$ ,  $PM = y$ ,  $AQ = v$ , Tangent  $SR = s$ ,  $QR = t$ ,  $AS = z$ . By the Nature of the Figure  $x = z$ , and  $v = y$ , therefore  $\dot{x} = \dot{z}$  and  $\dot{v} = \dot{y}$ ; and by similar Triangles  $\dot{v} = \frac{QR}{SR} \dot{z} = \frac{t\dot{x}}{s}$ ; therefore  $PT = (\frac{y\dot{x}}{\dot{y}} = \frac{y\dot{x}}{\dot{v}} =) \frac{sy}{t}$ .

## Ex. 12.

Let  $BM$  be an exponential Curve,  $AP = x$ ,  $PM = y$ , 36.  
 and  $a^x = y$ . Let  $A, X$  be the hyperbolic Logarithms of  $a, y$ ; then  $x A = X$ , and  $A\dot{x} = \dot{X} = \frac{\dot{y}}{y}$ , whence  $PT = \frac{y\dot{x}}{\dot{y}} = \frac{1}{A}$  an invariable Quantity: Therefore  $BM$  is the Logarithmic Curve.

## Ex. 13.

Let the Nature of an exponential Curve be expressed 36.  
 by this Equation  $x^x = y$ ; Let  $X, X$  be the hyperbolic Logarithms of  $x, y$ ; then  $x X = X$ , and  $x\dot{X} + X\dot{x} = \dot{X}$ ; but  $\dot{X} = \frac{\dot{x}}{x}$ , and  $\dot{X} = \frac{\dot{y}}{y}$ , (by Prob. II.) therefore  $\dot{x} + X\dot{x} = \frac{\dot{y}}{y}$ , or  $y\dot{x} + yX\dot{x} = \dot{y}$ , whence  $PT = \frac{y\dot{x}}{\dot{y}} = \frac{y\dot{x}}{y\dot{x} + yX\dot{x}} = \frac{1}{1 + X}$ .

## Ex. 14.

To draw a Tangent to Archimedes's Spiral. Let Radius 37.  
 $AP = r$ , Arch  $QP = z$ ,  $AM = y$ ,  $c$  a given Line. By the Nature of the Figure  $rz = cy$ , and thence  $\dot{z} = \frac{c\dot{y}}{r}$ , and by similar Triangles  $\dot{x} = \frac{y\dot{z}}{r} = \frac{cy}{rr}\dot{y}$ , whence  $AT = \frac{y\dot{x}}{\dot{y}} = \frac{cy}{rr}$ .

## Ex. 15.

## Ex. 15.

**FIG.** *To draw a Tangent to the reciprocal spiral.* Let  
 38. Radius  $BA=a$ , Arch  $BC=b$ ,  $BP=z$ ,  $AM=y$ ,  
 $Rn=\dot{x}$ . The Equation of the Curve is  $ab=zy$ , and  
 therefore  $z\dot{y}+y\dot{z}=0$ ; and by similar Triangles  $y\dot{z}=-a\dot{x}$ , or  $y\dot{z}=-a\dot{x}$ , whence  $z\dot{y}-a\dot{x}=0$ , or  $\dot{x}=\frac{z\dot{y}}{a}$ . Therefore  $AT=\frac{y\dot{x}}{\dot{y}}=\frac{zy}{a}=b$  a given  
 Quantity.

## Ex. 16.

39. Let  $AMD$  be a spiral of such a kind, that putting  
 $AM$  or  $AC=y$ , Arch  $MC=v$ ,  $AD=a$  a given Line,  
 and  $av^2=y^3$ . Let Arch  $BE=z$ , and by the similar  
 Sectors  $AMC$ ,  $AEB$ ,  $av=yz$ , whence expunging  $v$ ,  
 $z^2=ay$ , also  $rM$  or  $\dot{x}=\frac{y\dot{z}}{a}$ , or  $\dot{x}=\frac{y\dot{z}}{a}$ . And  
 $2z\dot{z}=a\dot{y}$ : whence  $\dot{x}=\frac{y\dot{y}}{2z}=\frac{z\dot{y}}{2a}$ , and therefore  
 $AT=(\frac{y\dot{x}}{\dot{y}}=\frac{yz}{2a}=\frac{av}{2a}=)\frac{1}{2}v$ .

## PROB. IV.

*To find the Point of Inflexion or contrary Flexure of a given Curve.*

The Point of Inflexion or contrary Flexure is that Point which separates the convex from the concave Part of the Curve.

40. In the Curve  $AM$  any way related to the Axis  $AP$ , let  $AP=x$ , Ordinate  $PM=y$ ; draw the Ordinate  $pm$  parallel and infinitely near  $PM$ , and  $Mr$  parallel to  $AP$ . Now the Ratio of  $Mr$  to  $rm$  is the greatest or least possible in the Point of contrary Flexure, that

that is  $\frac{Mr}{mr}$  or  $\frac{\dot{x}}{\dot{y}}$  is a Maximum or Minimum,

whence (by Prob. I.) its Fluxion  $\frac{\ddot{y}\dot{x} - \dot{y}\ddot{x}}{\dot{y}^2} = 0$ , or  $\ddot{y}\dot{x} - \dot{y}\ddot{x} = 0$ ; hence if  $\ddot{x} = 0$ , then  $\ddot{y} = 0$ , or if  $\ddot{y} = 0$ , then  $\ddot{x} = 0$ .

In a Curve  $BM$  refer'd to the fixed point  $P$ , take  $Mm$  infinitely small, and draw  $Pm$ , and  $Mr$  per-

 FIG.  
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pendicular to it, draw the Tangent  $MT$  and  $PT$  perpendicular to it; and let  $PM = y$ , Curve  $BM = z$ ,  $Mr = \dot{x}$ ,  $mr = \dot{y}$ . Then, by similar Triangles,

$PT = \frac{y\dot{x}}{z} = \frac{y\ddot{x}}{\dot{z}}$ . But in the Point of Inflexion the perpendicular  $PT$  is a Maximum or Minimum, therefore its Fluxion or the Fluxion of  $\frac{y\dot{x}}{z} = 0$ , that is

$\frac{y\dot{z}\ddot{x} + \dot{y}\dot{z}\ddot{x} - y\ddot{x}\dot{z}}{z^2} = 0$ , or  $y\dot{z}\ddot{x} - y\ddot{x}\dot{z} + \dot{y}\dot{z}\ddot{x} = 0$ . Out of

which any of the Fluxions may be exterminated by help of the Equation  $\dot{z}^2 = \dot{x}^2 + \dot{y}^2$  and its Fluxion, making any of the Fluxions invariable, or the second Fluxion  $= 0$ . Hence therefore to find the Point of Inflexion, the rule is,

1. In Curves referred to an Axis, let  $AP = x$ ,  $PM = y$ , put the Equation of the Curve into Fluxions, and again put the resulting Equation into Fluxions, making both  $\dot{x}$  and  $\dot{y}$  given quantities. 40.

2. In Curves related to a Pole or given Point  $P$ ; let  $PM = y$ ,  $BM = z$ , and  $Mm$ ,  $mr$ ,  $Mr$  will be as  $\dot{z}$ ,  $\dot{y}$ ,  $\dot{x}$ . Put the Equation of the Curve into Fluxions, and the resulting Equation into Fluxions again, writing 1 for some first Fluxion each Operation: Then you will determine the other Fluxion which must be substituted into one of the following equations that contains that other Fluxion. And then you will get the Value of  $y$ . 41.

FIG.

$$\text{If } \dot{x} = 1. \text{ then } y = \frac{1 + \dot{y}^2}{\ddot{y}} = \frac{\dot{z}\sqrt{\dot{z}^2 - 1}}{\ddot{z}}.$$

$$\text{If } \dot{y} = 1. \quad y = \frac{\dot{x} + \dot{x}^3}{-\ddot{x}} = \frac{\dot{z}^3 - \dot{z}}{-\ddot{z}}.$$

$$\text{If } \dot{z} = 1. \quad y = \frac{1 - \dot{y}^2}{\ddot{y}} = \frac{\dot{x}\sqrt{1 - \dot{x}^2}}{-\ddot{x}}.$$

Example 1.

Let the Equation of the Curve be  $ax^2 = x^2y + aay$ . This in Fluxions is  $2ax\dot{x} = 2yx\dot{x} + x^2\dot{y} + a\dot{a}\dot{y}$ ; which put again into Fluxions,  $2a\dot{x}^2 = 2y\dot{x}^2 + 2x\dot{x}\dot{y} + 2x\dot{x}\dot{y} = 2y\dot{x}^2 + 4x\dot{x}\dot{y}$ , and expunging  $\dot{y}$ ,  $a\dot{x}^2 = y\dot{x}^2 + 2x\dot{x}\dot{x}$   $\frac{2ax - 2yx}{aa + xx}\dot{x}$ ; that is by Reduction  $aa + xx = 4xx$ ; whence  $x = a\sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}$ .

Ex. 2.

42. Let *BM* be *Nichomedes's Conoid*.  $AB = a$ ,  $AC = b$ ; then its Nature is  $y\dot{x} = \frac{b + x\sqrt{aa - xx}}{\sqrt{aa - xx}}$ . In Fluxions  $y\dot{x} + x\dot{y} = \dot{x}\sqrt{aa - xx} - \frac{bxx + x^2\dot{x}}{\sqrt{aa - xx}}$ ; and expunging  $y$ ,  $\frac{-x^3 - aab}{xx\sqrt{aa - xx}}\dot{x} = \dot{y}$ , and this again in Fluxions is  $\frac{2a^4b - a^2x^3 - 3aabxx}{aax^3 - x^5\sqrt{aa - xx}}\dot{x}^2 = 0$ , and reduced  $x^3 + 3bxx = 2aab$ .

Ex. 3.

43. Let *AFK* be a Cycloid of such a kind, that arch *AD*: *DM* :: *ADB*: *BK*. Let  $AB = 2r$ ,  $ADB = a$ ,  $BK = b$ ,  $PD = z$ ,  $AD = u$ ; then  $y = z + \frac{bu}{a}$ , and  $\dot{y} = \dot{z} + \frac{b\dot{u}}{a}$ ; by the Property of the Circle  $\dot{z} = \frac{r - x}{\sqrt{2rx - xx}}\dot{x}$ , and  $\dot{u} = \frac{r\dot{x}}{\sqrt{2rx - xx}}$ , whence  $\dot{y} = \frac{ar - ax + rb}{a\sqrt{2rx - xx}}\dot{x}$ ; in Fluxions  $\frac{brx - arr - brr}{2rx - xx}\dot{x}^2 = 0$ , reduced  $x = r + \frac{ar}{b}$ .

Ex. 4.

Ex. 4.

Let  $BM$  be the helicoid Parabola, Radius  $PB$  or  $PE=r$ , arch  $BE=v$ ,  $PM=y$ ; then by the Nature

FIG. 44.

of the Curve  $av=r-\overline{y}^2$ , whence  $a\dot{v}=-2\dot{y}\times r-\overline{y}$ ,

but by similar Sectors  $\dot{v}=\frac{r\dot{x}}{y}$ , or  $\dot{v}=\frac{r\dot{x}}{y}$ ; whence

$rax=-2y\dot{y}\times r-\overline{y}$ ; and  $\dot{y}=\frac{ar}{2y\times y-\overline{r}}$  (putting

$\dot{x}=1$ ); and  $\ddot{y}=\frac{-ar\dot{y}}{2yy}\times\frac{2y-\overline{r}}{y-\overline{r}}$ , whence  $y=$

$\frac{1+\dot{y}^2}{\ddot{y}}=\frac{4yy\times y-\overline{r}^2+aarr}{-2ar\dot{y}\times 2y-\overline{r}}$ , and expunging  $\dot{y}$ ,

$4y^2\times y-\overline{r}^2+aarr=2ary\times 2y-\overline{r}\times\frac{-ar}{2yy-2ry}$ , that is

$4yy\times y-\overline{r}^3+aarr\times y-\overline{r}+aarr\times 2y-\overline{r}=0$ ; which reduced gives  $4y^3-12ry^2+12r^2y^3-4r^3y^2+3r^2a^2y-2r^3a^2=0$ .

Ex. 5.

Suppose  $BM$  to be a sort of Spiral,  $PT$  or  $PR=a$ , Arch  $RT=v$ , and let  $a^3=yyy$  exprefs its Nature;

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then  $2vy\dot{y}+yy\dot{v}=0$ , but by similar Triangles  $\dot{v}=\frac{a\dot{x}}{y}$ ,

whence  $2vy\dot{y}+ay\dot{x}=0$ , and  $\dot{x}=\frac{-2v}{a}$ , putting  $\dot{y}=$

$1$ ; and expunging  $v$ ,  $\dot{x}=\frac{-2aa}{yy}$ , and  $\ddot{x}=\frac{4aa}{y^3}$ ;

therefore  $y=\frac{\dot{x}+\ddot{x}}{-\ddot{x}}=\frac{1}{2}y+\frac{2a^4}{y^3}$ , or  $y^4=4a^4$ ,

whence  $y=a\sqrt[4]{2}$ .

## P R O B. V.

*To find the Radius of Curvature in Curves.*

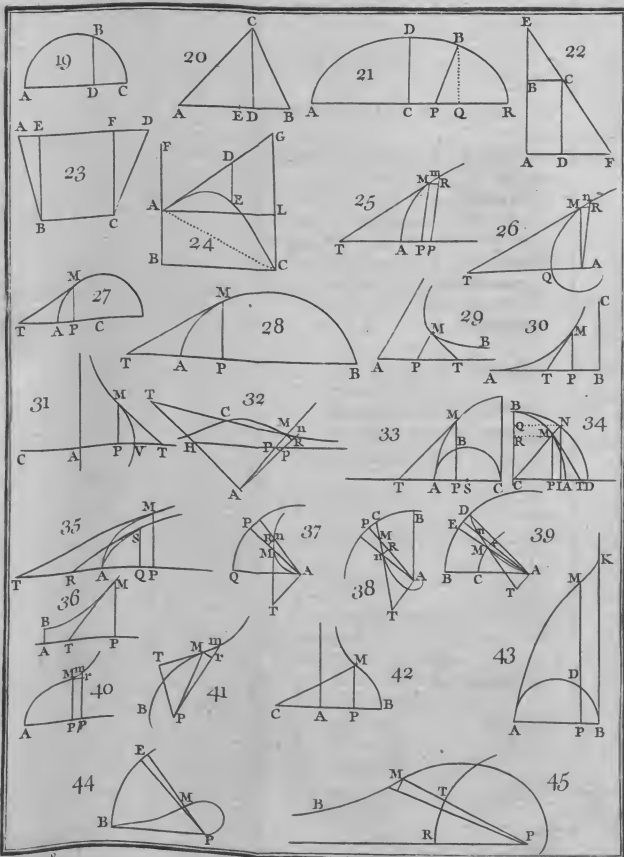
FIG. 46. Let  $Amq$  be a Curve referred to the Axis  $AE$ , and suppose  $C$  to be the Center, and  $Cm$  the Radius of Curvature in any Point  $m$ , and describe the equicurve Circle  $Dm$  coinciding with the Curve in  $mn$ . Draw  $DC$ ,  $mr$  parallel, and  $AF$  perpendicular to  $AB$ , and produce  $mB$  to  $H$ , and draw  $nbb$  parallel and infinitely near  $mBH$ ; and call the Abscissa  $AB$ ,  $x$ ; perpendicular ordinate  $Bm$ ,  $y$ ;  $Am$ ,  $z$ ;  $mC$ ,  $r$ ;  $DF$ ,  $b$ ;  $AF$  or  $BH$ ,  $c$ ;  $mr$ ,  $\dot{x}$ ;  $rn$ ,  $\dot{y}$ ; and  $mn$ ,  $\dot{z}$ ; then  $CH = r - b - x$ .

By the Nature of the Circle  $DH \times 2DC - DH = Hm^2$ , that is  $2rb + 2rx - bb - 2bx - xx = cc + 2cy + yy$ ; which put into Fluxions  $r\dot{x} - b\dot{x} - x\dot{x} = c\dot{y} + y\dot{y}$ ; which put into Fluxions again,  $r\ddot{x} - b\ddot{x} - x\ddot{x} - \dot{x}^2 = c\ddot{y} + y\ddot{y} + \dot{y}^2$ ; therefore  $r - b - x \times \ddot{x} - \dot{y} \times c + y = \dot{x}^2 + \dot{y}^2 = \dot{z}^2$ . But

by similar Triangles  $r - b - x = \frac{r\dot{y}}{\dot{z}} = \frac{r\dot{y}}{\dot{z}}$ , and  $c + y = \frac{r\dot{x}}{\dot{z}} = \frac{r\dot{x}}{\dot{z}}$ , whence the former Equation becomes

$\frac{r\ddot{y}}{\dot{z}} - \frac{r\ddot{x}}{\dot{z}} = \dot{z}^2$ ; which reduced gives  $r = \frac{\dot{z}^3}{y\ddot{x} - x\ddot{y}}$  for the Radius of Curvature of the Circle  $Dm$  or of the Curve  $Am$  in the Point  $m$ .

Now since we are at Liberty to take any one of the Fluxions  $\dot{x}$ ,  $\dot{y}$ ,  $\dot{z}$ , as invariable; we can, by the Help of this Equation  $\dot{z}^2 = \dot{x}^2 + \dot{y}^2$  and its Fluxion, exterminate either of the other indetermin'd Fluxions out of the Value of  $r$ , and by that Means find several different Forms for the Radius of Curvature, to suit different Cases. And the same Way will several Values







Values of  $mH$ ,  $CH$ , be determin'd. Thus we shall find when  $\dot{x}$  is given, the Radius  $= \frac{\dot{z}^3}{-\dot{x}\ddot{y}} = \frac{\dot{z}^2\dot{y}}{-\dot{x}\dot{z}}$ ;

when  $\dot{y}$  is given, the Radius  $= \frac{\dot{z}^3}{\dot{y}\ddot{x}} = \frac{\dot{z}^2\dot{x}}{\dot{y}\dot{z}}$ ;

and if  $\dot{z}$  be given, the Radius  $= \frac{\dot{z}\dot{y}}{\dot{x}} = \frac{\dot{z}\dot{x}}{-\dot{y}}$ .

Again in Spirals or Curves refer'd to a fixt Point  $B$ , as  $AMn$ . Let  $C$  be the Center, and  $CM$  the Radius of Curvature in any Point  $M$ ; and describe the Circle  $DMn$  coinciding with the Curve in the infinitely small part  $Mn$ . Draw  $Bn$  infinitely near  $BM$ , and  $CD$ ,  $Mr$  perpendicular to  $BM$ ; and call  $BM$ ,  $y$ ; Curve  $AM$ ,  $z$ ; Radius  $CM$ ,  $r$ ;  $DE$ ,  $v$ ;  $Ee$ ,  $\dot{v}$ ;  $Mr$ ,  $\dot{x}$ ;  $Mn$ ,  $\dot{z}$ ;  $rn$ ,  $\dot{y}$ . By the similar Triangles  $MEC$  and

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$Mnr$ ,  $ME = \frac{r\dot{x}}{\dot{z}} = \frac{r\dot{x}}{\dot{z}}$ , and  $EC = \frac{r\dot{y}}{\dot{z}} = \frac{r\dot{y}}{\dot{z}}$ ,

therefore  $v = r - \frac{r\dot{y}}{\dot{z}}$ , and thence  $\dot{v} = \frac{r\dot{y}\dot{z} - r\dot{z}\dot{y}}{\dot{z}^2}$ ;

And by the similar Triangles  $BEe$ ,  $BMr$ , it is  $BE : BM :: Ee : Mr$ , that is  $y - \frac{r\dot{x}}{\dot{z}} : y :: (\dot{v} : \dot{x} :: \dot{v} :$

$\dot{x} ::) \frac{r\dot{y}\dot{z} - r\dot{z}\dot{y}}{\dot{z}^2} : \dot{x}$ , which multiply'd and re-

duced gives  $r = \frac{y\dot{x}\dot{z}^2}{\dot{z}\dot{x}^2 + y\dot{y}\dot{z} - y\dot{z}\dot{y}}$ , for the Radius of Curvature of the Circle  $DM$ , or of the Curve  $AM$  in  $M$ . Hence also  $ME = \frac{y\dot{x}^2\dot{z}}{\dot{z}\dot{x}^2 + y\dot{y}\dot{z} - y\dot{z}\dot{y}}$ , and

$EC = \frac{y\dot{y}\dot{x}\dot{z}}{\dot{z}\dot{x}^2 + y\dot{y}\dot{z} - y\dot{z}\dot{y}}$ .

Now since we can make any one of the Fluxions  $\dot{x}$ ,  $\dot{y}$ ,  $\dot{z}$ , invariable; we can expunge either of the rest and its Fluxion by the Help of this Equation  $\dot{z}^2 = \dot{x}^2 + \dot{y}^2$  and its Fluxion, and thence obtain Variety of different Forms for each of the quantities  $CM$ ,  $ME$ ,  $EC$ , as before.

Otherwise

FIG. Otherwise thus, when we have the Perpendicular  
 48. upon the Tangent drawn to any Point  $M$  of the Curve, we can find the Radius of Curvature  $CM$  very easily thus; let  $BP$ ,  $Bp$  be perpendicular to the Tangents  $MP$ ,  $np$ , and let  $BP = u$ ,  $pq = \dot{u}$ , the rest as before. Then by the similar Triangles  $pMq$ ,  $MCn$ ; and  $Mrn$ ,  $MPB$ ;  $r\dot{u} = pM \times Mn = \dot{y}\dot{y}$ , or  $r\dot{u} = \dot{y}\dot{y}$ , whence  $r = \frac{\dot{y}\dot{y}}{\dot{u}}$ . Hence therefore to find the Radius of Curvature the Rules are,

46. 1. In Curves whose Ordinates are perpendicular to the Abscissa, for the Curve, Abscissa, and Ordinate, put  $z$ ,  $x$ ,  $y$ : Put the Equation of the Curve (reduced as low and simple as possible) into Fluxions, writing 1 for any one of the first Fluxions contained in it; then put the resulting Equation into Fluxions again, writing  $\dot{u}$  for the same first Fluxion. From the first Equation the other Fluxion will be determin'd, and by the second you will get the second Fluxion; which being had, substitute them into one of the following Forms that contain this first and second Fluxion.

But in the vertices of Curves, where they cut the Abscissa at right Angles, take  $\frac{\dot{y}\dot{y}}{\dot{x}}$  for the Radius of Curvature; and in the highest Point, where they cut the Ordinate at Right Angles,  $mH$  is the Radius.

$$\text{If } \dot{x} = 1, \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Radius } mC = \frac{(1 + \dot{y}^2)^{\frac{3}{2}}}{-\dot{y}} = \frac{\dot{z}^2 \sqrt{\dot{z}^2 - 1}}{-\dot{z}} \\ mH = \frac{1 + \dot{y}^2}{-\dot{y}} = \frac{\dot{z} \sqrt{\dot{z}^2 - 1}}{-\dot{z}} \\ CH = \frac{\dot{y}x + 1 + \dot{y}^2}{-\dot{y}} = \frac{\dot{z}x\dot{z}^2 - 1}{-\dot{z}} \end{array} \right.$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \text{If } \dot{y} = 1, \left\{ \begin{aligned} \text{Radius } mC &= \frac{\overline{1 + \dot{x}^2}^{\frac{3}{2}}}{\ddot{x}} = \frac{\dot{z}^2 \sqrt{\dot{z}^2 - 1}}{\ddot{z}} \\ mH &= \frac{\dot{x} \times 1 + \dot{x}^2}{\ddot{x}} = \frac{\dot{z} \times \dot{z}^2 - 1}{\ddot{z}} \\ CH &= \frac{1 + \dot{x}^2}{\ddot{x}} = \frac{\dot{z} \sqrt{\dot{z}^2 - 1}}{\ddot{z}} \end{aligned} \right. \\
 & \text{If } \dot{z} = 1, \left\{ \begin{aligned} \text{Radius } mC &= \frac{\sqrt{1 - \dot{x}^2}}{\ddot{x}} = \frac{\sqrt{1 - \dot{y}^2}}{-\ddot{y}} \\ mH &= \frac{\dot{x} \sqrt{1 - \dot{x}^2}}{\ddot{x}} = \frac{1 - \dot{y}^2}{-\ddot{y}} \\ CH &= \frac{1 - \dot{x}^2}{\ddot{x}} = \frac{\dot{y} \sqrt{1 - \dot{y}^2}}{-\ddot{y}} \end{aligned} \right.
 \end{aligned}$$

2. In Curves related to a fixed Point, let the Curve  $AM=z$ , Ordinate  $BM=y$ , and  $Mr=\dot{x}$ . Put the Equation of the Curve into Fluxions, and make some of the first Fluxions invariable, for which write 1; and the Equation being turned into Fluxions again, write 1 for the invariable Fluxion, as before: Thus you will determine the other Fluxion and second Fluxion, whose Values being substituted into one of the Forms below which contains that first and second Fluxion, you will have the Radius of Curvature.

47.

But when you know the Perpendicular upon the Tangent drawn to any Point of the Curve, put this perpendicular  $=u$ ; and find the Value of  $\frac{y\dot{y}}{u}$  from the Equation of the Curve; and this is the Radius of Curvature.

48.

$$\text{If } \dot{x} = 1, \text{ Radius } MC = \frac{y \times \overline{1 + \dot{y}^2}^{\frac{3}{2}}}{1 + \dot{y}^2 - y\ddot{y}} = \frac{y\dot{z}^2 \sqrt{\dot{z}^2 - 1}}{\dot{z} \sqrt{\dot{z}^2 - 1} - y\ddot{z}}$$

$$\text{If } \dot{y} = 1, \text{ Radius } MC = \frac{y \times \overline{1 + \dot{x}^2}^{\frac{3}{2}}}{\dot{x} + \dot{x}^3 + y\ddot{x}} = \frac{y\dot{z}^2 \sqrt{\dot{z}^2 - 1}}{\dot{z}^3 - \dot{z} + y\ddot{z}}$$

$$\text{If } \dot{z} = 1, \text{ Radius } MC = \frac{y\sqrt{1 - \dot{x}^2}}{\dot{x}\sqrt{1 - \dot{x}^2} + y\ddot{x}} = \frac{y\sqrt{1 - \dot{y}^2}}{1 - \dot{y}^2 - y\ddot{y}}$$

$$\text{Also } ME = \frac{MC \times \dot{x}}{\dot{z}}, \text{ and } EC = \frac{MC \times \dot{y}}{\dot{z}} \quad \text{Ex.}$$

## EX. 1.

FIG. Let the Equation of the Curve be  $ax - ay = x^2 + y^2$ ,  
 49. where  $AB = x$ ,  $Bm = y$ ,  $a =$  a given Line. Let  $\dot{x} = 1$ ,  
 then putting the Equation into Fluxions  $a - a\dot{y} = 2x + 2y\dot{y}$ , and again  $-a\ddot{y} = 2 + 2\dot{y}^2 + 2y\ddot{y}$ ; whence  $\dot{y} = \frac{a - 2x}{a + 2y}$ , and  $\ddot{y} = \frac{-2 - 2\dot{y}^2}{a + 2y} = \frac{-2 \times a + 2y - 2 \times a - 2x}{a + 2y^2}$   
 $= (\text{because } ax - ay = x^2 + y^2) \frac{-4aa}{a + 2y^2}$ . Whence the Radius  
 of Curvature  $= \frac{(1 + \dot{y}^2)^{\frac{3}{2}}}{-\ddot{y}} = \frac{(a - 2x^2 + a + 2y^2)^{\frac{3}{2}}}{4aa} = \frac{2a^2)^{\frac{3}{2}}}{4aa} = \frac{a}{\sqrt{2}}$  a determinate Quantity: Therefore  
*Am* is the Arch of a Circle whose Radius is  $\frac{a}{\sqrt{2}}$ .

## EX. 2.

50. Let *Am* be an Ellipsis,  $a =$  Transverse,  $b =$  the  
 Parameter, and  $abx - bxx = ayy$ . In Fluxions  $ab - 2bx\dot{x} = 2a\dot{y}y$  (where  $\dot{x} = 1$ ), and this again in Fluxions  $-2b\dot{x}^2 = 2a\dot{y}^2 + 2a\ddot{y}y$ ; hence  $\dot{y} = \frac{ab - 2bx}{2ay}$ , and  $-\ddot{y} = \frac{b + a\dot{y}^2}{ay} = \frac{4abyy + ab - 2bx^2}{4aay^3} = (\text{expunging } x) \frac{bb}{4y^3}$ .  
 Therefore  $mH = \frac{1 + \dot{y}^2}{-\ddot{y}} = \frac{4aayy + ab - 2bx^2}{-\ddot{y} \times 4aayy} = \frac{aabb + 4aayy - 4abyy}{aabb} y = y + \frac{4a - 4b}{abb} y^3$ , and Ra-  
 dius  $mC = \frac{(1 + \dot{y}^2)^{\frac{3}{2}}}{-\ddot{y}} = \frac{aabb + 4aayy - 4abyy}{2bba^3}$ .

And if *Am* were an Hyperbola, it would be found in  
 the same Manner that  $mH = y + \frac{4a + 4b}{abb} y^3$ , and  $mC = \frac{a^2b^2 + 4a^2y^2 + 4aby^2}{2bba^3}$  :

Or thus in particular Numbers.

Let  $a=3$ ,  $b=1$ , and assume  $x=1$ ,  $\dot{x}=1$ , then  
 $y = \sqrt{bx - \frac{b}{a}xx} = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}$ , and by the foregoing operation  $\dot{y} = \frac{ab-2bx}{2ay} = \frac{1}{6\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}}$ , and  $-\ddot{y} = \frac{b+\dot{a}\dot{y}^2}{ay}$   
 $= \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{8\sqrt{2}}$ . Whence  $mC = \frac{1+\dot{y}^2}{-\ddot{y}} = \frac{125}{54}$ .

Otherwise thus:

Let Transverse  $= 2r$ , Conjugate  $= 2c$ ,  $B$  the Focus,  $BM=y$ ,  $BT=u$  the Perpendicular on the Tangent at  $M$ . By the conic Sections  $u = \frac{cy}{\sqrt{2ry-yy}}$ ,  
 and  $\dot{u} = \frac{cr\dot{y}}{2ry-yy^2}$  whence  $\frac{\dot{y}}{\dot{u}} = \frac{2ry-yy^2}{cr}$ , the Radius of Curvature in  $M$ . FIG. 57.

Ex. 3.

In the Parabola  $ax=yy$ , then  $a\dot{x}=2y$ , and  $a\ddot{x}=2$  52.  
 (putting  $\dot{y}=1$ ); whence Radius  $mC = \frac{1+\dot{x}^2}{\ddot{x}}$   
 $= \frac{1+\frac{4yy}{aa}}{\frac{2}{a}} = \frac{aa+4yy}{2aa} = \frac{4.mD^2}{aa}$ .

Otherwise thus:

Let  $a =$  Latus rectum,  $B$  the Focus,  $BM=y$ , 58.  
 $BT=u$ , the Perpendicular on the Tangent at  $M$ . By the Nature of the Figure  $uu = \frac{1}{4}ay$ , and  $\dot{u} = \frac{a\dot{y}}{4\sqrt{ay}}$ ,  
 whence  $\frac{\dot{y}}{\dot{u}} = \frac{4y\dot{y}\sqrt{ay}}{a\dot{y}} = \frac{4y\sqrt{ay}}{a} = \frac{8uy}{a}$ , the Radius of Curvature in  $M$ .

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FIG. Let  $Dm$  be an Hyperbola between the Affymptotes.

51.  $AB=x$ ,  $Bm=y$ . Draw  $mR$  parallel to the other Affymptote; then since the Position of the Ordinate  $mR$  is given, there is given the Ratio of  $mR$  and  $RB$  to  $mB$  perpendicular to  $AB$ : Let  $RB=sy$ ,  $mR=ty$ ,  $AR=x-sy$ . By the Nature of the Figure  $AR \times Rm = aa = txy - tsyy$ , which turned into Fluxions  $tx + ty\dot{x} + 2tsy = 0$ , and again  $2t\dot{x} + ty\ddot{x} - 2ts = 0$ ; hence  $\dot{x} = \frac{2sy - x}{y}$ , and  $\ddot{x} = \frac{2s - 2\dot{x}}{y} = \frac{2x - 2sy}{yy}$ .

Then  $\frac{1 + \dot{x}^2}{\ddot{x}} = \frac{yy + 2sy - x}{2xy - 2syy}$ , the Radius of Curvature in  $m$ .

And in a right-angled Hyperbola,  $s=0$ , and the Radius becomes  $\frac{yy + xx}{2xy} = \frac{yy + xx}{2aa} = \frac{Am^3}{2aa}$ .

Ex. 5.

52. Let  $Am$  be the Ciffoid, whose Equation is  $axx - yx^2 = y^3$ , then  $a - y = \frac{y^3}{xx}$ , in Fluxions  $-1 = \frac{3yy}{xx} - \frac{2y^3\dot{x}}{x^3}$ , reduced  $-x^3 = 3y^2x - 2y^3\dot{x}$ , in Fluxions  $-3x^2\dot{x} = 6yx + 3y^2\dot{x} - 6y^2\dot{x} - 2y^3\ddot{x}$ ; hence  $\dot{x} = \frac{3xy^2 + x^3}{2y^3}$ , and  $\ddot{x} = \frac{6xy + 3xx - 3yy \times \dot{x}}{2y^3} = \frac{3xy^4 + 6x^3y^2 + 3x^5}{4y^6}$ . Then the Radius  $= \frac{1 + \dot{x}^2}{\ddot{x}} = \frac{4y^6 + 9x^2y^4 + 6x^4y^2 + x^6}{2y^3 \times 3xy^4 + 6x^3y^2 + 3x^5}$   
 $= (\text{expunging } y^3, y^6) \frac{4aa - 8ay + 10yy + xx + 9ay - 9yy}{6aay}$   
 $= \frac{4aa + ay + y^2 + x^2}{6aay} \times x = (\text{expunging } xx)$   
 $\frac{4a - 3y}{6 \times a - y^2} \times a\sqrt{y}$ . Therefore in the Vertex  $A$ , the Radius of Curvature is 0.

Or

Or thus definitely in Numbers.

Let  $a=10$ ,  $\dot{y}=1$ , and assume  $y=2$ , then  $x=1$ ; and  $\dot{x}$   
 $= \frac{3xy^2 + x^3}{2y^3} = \frac{13}{16}$ . And  $\ddot{x} = \frac{6xy + 3x^2 - 3yy \times \dot{x}}{2y^3}$   
 $= \frac{75}{16 \times 16}$ ; whence  $\frac{(1 + \dot{x}^2)^{\frac{1}{2}}}{\ddot{x}} = \frac{85}{16} \sqrt{17}$ .

Ex. 6.

Let  $x=y^n$  be an equation for all Parabolas, then  
 (if  $\dot{y}=1$ )  $\dot{x} = ny^{n-1}$ ,  $\ddot{x} = nn - n \times y^{n-2}$ . Therefore  
 $\frac{(1 + \dot{x}^2)^{\frac{1}{2}}}{\ddot{x}} = \frac{(1 + nny^{2n-2})^{\frac{1}{2}}}{n \cdot n - 1 \cdot y^{n-2}}$ .

Hence it will easily appear that every Parabola, except the Appolonian, has the Radius of Curvature in the Vertex either infinite or nothing at all.

COR. If  $ax=yy$ ,  $bx=y^3$ ,  $cx=y^4$ ,  $dx=y^5$ , &c. be a Series of Parabolas, then the Angle of Contact (made with the Tangent and Curve) at the Vertex of any one is infinitely greater than the Angle of Contact of the next following one. The Angle of Contact of the first  $ax=y^2$ , is of the same kind with that of Circles.

Now it appears that the Angles of Contact of one kind infinitely exceed those of another kind, since the Radius of Curvature of one kind is infinitely greater than that of another; and the Curvature or Angle of Contact is reciprocally as that Radius, Thus in the

Curve  $cx=y^4$ , the Radius  $= \frac{c}{12yy} = \text{Infinity}$ , and

in the Curve  $dx=y^5$ , the Radius  $= \frac{d}{20y^3} = \text{Infinity}$ , because  $y=0$ ; and the latter Radius is infinitely

greater than the former, for  $\frac{d}{20y^3} = \frac{c}{12yy} \times \frac{12d}{20cy}$ ;

and therefore the Angle of Contact of the first infinitely exceeds the Angle of Contact of the last. Therefore a Curve of one kind, how great soever it may be,

FIG. be, cannot be interposed at the Point of Contact between the Curve of another kind and its Tangent, however small that Curve may be : Or an Angle of Contact of one kind cannot necessarily contain an Angle of Contact of another kind, as a whole contains a part.

Likewise in this Series of Parabolic Curves  $ax = y^{\frac{1}{2}}$ ,  $bx = y^{\frac{2}{3}}$ ,  $cx = y^{\frac{3}{4}}$ ,  $dx = y^{\frac{4}{5}}$ , &c; the Angle of Contact which any Curve makes with the Abscissa at the Vertex is infinitely greater than the next preceding. The Angle of Contact of the first  $ax = y^{\frac{1}{2}}$  is of the same kind with Circles. And though the Angles of the succeeding Curves do infinitely exceed the preceding ones, yet they can never arrive at the magnitude of right lined Angles. Moreover between the Angles of Contact of any two of these may other Angles of Contact be found *ad infinitum*, that will infinitely exceed each other.

Ex. 7.

54. Let  $Dm$  be the logarithmic Curve, whose Equation is  $y\dot{x} = a\dot{y}$ , putting  $AB = x$ ,  $Bm = y$ ,  $a =$  Subtangent. Then (if  $\dot{x} = 1$ )  $\dot{y} = \frac{y}{a}$ , and  $\ddot{y} = \frac{\dot{y}}{a} = \frac{y}{aa}$ ; therefore  $\frac{1 + \dot{y}^2}{-\ddot{y}} = \frac{aa + yy}{-a\dot{y}}$ , the Radius of Curvature; where the negative Sign only shews its Position.

Ex. 8.

52. Let  $Am$  be the Catenary,  $AB = x$ ,  $Bm = y$ ,  $Am = z$ ; It's Equation is  $zz = ax + xx$ , then (putting  $\dot{x} = 1$ ) it's Fluxion is  $z = a\dot{x} + x\dot{x}$ , and again  $1 = a\ddot{x} + x\ddot{x} + \dot{x}^2$ ; hence  $\dot{x} = \frac{z}{a+x}$ , and  $\ddot{x} = \frac{1 - \dot{x}^2}{a+x} = \frac{a+x^2 - zz}{a+x^3}$   
 $= \frac{aa}{a+x^3}$ . Therefore  $\frac{\sqrt{1-\dot{x}^2}}{\ddot{x}} = \frac{a+x^3\sqrt{a+x^2-zz}}{a+x \times aa}$   
 $= \frac{a+x^2}{aa} \sqrt{aa} = \frac{a+x^2}{a} = a + \frac{zz}{a}$ .

Ex. 9.



Ex. 9.

Let  $Am$  be the Cycloid,  $AB=x$ ,  $Bm=y$ ,  $AD=v$ , FIG. 55.

$AR=a$ , then  $BD = \sqrt{ax - xx}$ , and  $\dot{v} = \frac{a}{2\sqrt{ax - xx}}$ ,

by the Nature of the Circle (putting  $\dot{x}=1$ ). By the Property of the Cycloid,  $y=v + \sqrt{ax - xx}$ , whence

$$\dot{y} = \dot{v} + \frac{a-2x}{2\sqrt{ax - xx}} = \frac{a-x}{\sqrt{ax - xx}} = \sqrt{\frac{a-x}{x}}; \text{ and } \ddot{y} =$$

$$\frac{-a}{2x^{\frac{3}{2}}\sqrt{a-x}}; \text{ whence the Radius} = \frac{(1+\dot{x}^2)^{\frac{3}{2}}}{-\ddot{y}} =$$

$$2\sqrt{aa - ax} = 2DR.$$

Ex. 10.

Let  $Dm$  be the Conchoid,  $RA=b$ ,  $AD=c$ ,  $AB=x$ ,  $Bm=y$ ; it's Equation is  $b+y\sqrt{cc-yy} = xy$ . This 53.

squared and divided by  $yy$ ,  $\frac{bbcc}{yy} + \frac{2bcc}{y} + cc - bb$

$- 2by - yy = xx$ . In Fluxions,  $-\frac{2bbcc}{y^3} - \frac{2bcc}{yy}$

$- 2b - 2y = 2x\dot{x}$ ; and again  $\frac{6bbcc}{y^4} + \frac{4bcc}{y^3} -$

$2 = 2\dot{x}^2 + 2x\ddot{x}$ ; whence  $\dot{x} = \frac{-bbcc}{y^3x} - \frac{bcc}{yyx} - \frac{b}{x}$

$-\frac{y}{x}$ , and  $\ddot{x} = \frac{3bbcc}{y^4x} + \frac{2bcc}{y^3x} - \frac{1}{x} - \frac{\dot{x}^2}{x}$ .

Now to find the Radius of Curvature in any given Point  $m$ ; let  $b=5$ ,  $c=10$ , if you take  $y=6$ , then  $x=14\frac{2}{3}$ , and  $\dot{x}=-2\frac{3}{7\frac{1}{2}}$ , and  $\ddot{x}=\frac{409}{1636}$ ; whence

$\frac{1+\dot{x}^2}{\ddot{x}} = 40, 326$  the Radius of Curvature in that

Point  $m$ .

The Radius of Curvature may also be expressed indefinitely in the same Manner as in the foregoing,

though more prolixly. Let  $\dot{x} = \frac{p}{x}$ ,  $\ddot{x} = \frac{q}{x} - \frac{\dot{x}^2}{x}$

FIG.  $\frac{\dot{x}^2}{x} = \frac{qxx - pp}{xxx}$ , then  $\overline{1 + \dot{x}^2}^{\frac{1}{2}} = \frac{xx + pp}{x^3}$ : Whence  
 $\frac{\overline{1 + \dot{x}^2}^{\frac{1}{2}}}{\ddot{x}} = \frac{xx + pp}{qxx - pp}$ ; therefore either  $x$  or  $y$  being  
 given, the other will be known, and thence the quantities  $p, q$ . For Example in the Vertex, where  $x=0$ ,  
 the Radius becomes  $\frac{p^3}{-pp} = -p = \frac{bbcc}{y^3} + \frac{bcc}{yy} +$   
 $b + y = \frac{bb}{c} + 2b + c = \frac{b+c^2}{c}$ .

## EX. II.

56. Let  $Dm$  be the Quadratrix,  $AB=x$ ,  $Bm=y$ ,  $AF$   
 or  $AR=r$ ,  $AE=u$ ,  $CE=v$ , Arch  $CF=t$ ,  $RCF=q$ ,  
 $RC=q-t$ ,  $Am=s$ . By the Nature of the Circle,  
 the Fluxion of  $RC$  ( $-t$ ) is to the Fluxion of  $AE$  ( $\dot{u}$ )  
 as  $r$  to  $v$ , that is  $-v\dot{t} = r\dot{u}$ , likewise  $r\dot{v} = u\dot{t}$ , and  
 by the Property of the Figure  $t=y$ , and  $\dot{t}=\dot{y}$ ; and  
 by similar Triangles  $uy=vx$ , in Fluxions  $y\dot{u} + u\dot{y} = x\dot{v}$   
 $+ v\dot{x}$ , and expunging  $\dot{v}$ ,  $\dot{u}$ ,  $v$ , we get  $-y^2\dot{y} + rxy\dot{y} -$   
 $x^2\dot{y} = ry\dot{x} = -y^2 + rx - xx$  (putting  $\dot{y}=1$ ), this in  
 Fluxions  $ry\dot{x} + r\dot{x} = -2y + rx - 2xx$ . Therefore  
 $\dot{x} = \frac{-y^2 + rx - xx}{ry} = \frac{rx - ss}{ry}$ ; and  $\ddot{x} = \frac{-2y - 2x\dot{x}}{ry}$   
 $= \frac{2ssx - 2ssr}{rryy}$ , hence  $\frac{\overline{1 + \dot{x}^2}^{\frac{1}{2}}}{\ddot{x}} =$   
 $\frac{rryy + \overline{rx - ss}^{\frac{1}{2}} \times rryy}{r^3y^3 \times 2ssx - 2ssr} = \frac{-s}{2ry} \times \frac{\overline{rr - 2rx + ss}^{\frac{1}{2}}}{r-x}$ .

If the Radius of Curvature is required in the Ver-  
 tex  $F$ , it will be found by expressing  $AE$  and  $CE$  by  
 infinite Series in Terms of  $y$ , rejecting the superfluous  
 Terms. Thus it will hereafter be shewn (Ex. 5.

Prob. VIII.) that  $CF = CE + \frac{CE^3}{6rr}$  &c; that is  $y$   
 $= v + \frac{v^3}{6rr}$ , whence by Reversion of Series  $v=y$

$-\frac{y^3}{6rr}$ , and thence  $u = \sqrt{rr-vv} = r - \frac{yy}{2r}$ , whence FIG.

$uy=vx$  becomes  $ry - \frac{y^3}{2r} = yx - \frac{y^3}{6rr}$ , and  $x=r$

$-\frac{yy}{3r}$ , and  $\dot{x} = -\frac{2y\dot{y}}{3r}$ . But the Radius of Cur-

vature in  $F$  is  $\frac{y\ddot{y}}{\dot{x}}$ , where you must write  $r-x$  for  $x$ ,

$-x$  for  $\dot{x}$ . Then  $\frac{y\ddot{y}}{\dot{x}} = \frac{y\ddot{y}}{2y\dot{y}} \times 3r = \frac{3}{2}r$ .

Ex. 12.

Let  $AM$  be the Logarithmic Spiral;  $TM$  a Tan-  
 gent;  $BT$ ,  $BP$  perpendicular to  $BM$ ,  $TM$ . Let  
 $BM=y$ ,  $BP=u$ , the given Ratio of  $MT$  to  $BT$  as  $c$   
 to  $t$ ; then  $u = \frac{ty}{c}$ ; and  $\dot{u} = \frac{t\dot{y}}{c}$ , whence  $MC =$   
 $\frac{y\ddot{y}}{\dot{u}} = \frac{cy}{t}$ ; therefore  $C$  falls in the Line  $TB$  produced.

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Ex. 13.

Let  $BM$  be Archimedes's Spiral,  $AB=a$ , Arch  $AD$   
 $=v$ ,  $BM=y$ , and let  $by=av$ , whence  $b\dot{y}=a\dot{v}$ ; but  
 by similar Sectors  $\dot{v} = \frac{a\dot{x}}{y}$  or  $\dot{v} = \frac{a\dot{x}}{y}$ , therefore  $aax$   
 $=by\dot{y}$ . Let  $\dot{y}=1$ , then  $\dot{x} = \frac{by}{aa}$ , and  $\ddot{x} = \frac{b\ddot{y}}{aa}$ ;

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whence the Radius  $= \frac{y \times \sqrt{1+\dot{x}^2}^{\frac{1}{2}}}{\dot{x}+\dot{x}^3+y\ddot{x}} = \frac{a^2+\sqrt{bbyy}}{b^3y^2+2ba^2}$   
 $= \frac{a \times a^2 + vv^{\frac{1}{2}}}{bv^2 + 2ba^2}$ .

Ex. 14.

Suppose the Equation of the Spiral to be  $by^m = a^m v$ .

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Then, if  $\dot{x}=1$ ,  $mby^{m-1}\dot{y} = a^m\dot{v} = \frac{a^{m+1}\dot{x}}{y}$ , or  $mby^m\dot{y}$   
 $= a^{m+1}$ , again in Fluxions  $m^2by^{m-1}\dot{y}^2 + mby^m\ddot{y} = 0$ ;  
 hence

FIG.

hence  $\dot{y} = \frac{a^{m+1}}{mby^m}$ , and  $\ddot{y} = \frac{-a^{2m+2}}{ml^2y^{2m+1}}$ . Whence the  
 Radius  $= \frac{y \times \sqrt{1+\dot{y}^2}}{1+\ddot{y}y} = \frac{m^2b^2y^{2m} + a^{2m+2}}{m^3b^3y^{3m-1} + m+1.mby^{m-1}a^{2m+2}}$ .

Ex. 15.

61. Let  $BM$  be the reciprocal or hyperbolic Spiral, Radius  $AB$  or  $BD=a$ , given Arch  $AE=n$ , Arch  $AF=v$ ,  $BM=y$ . By the Property of the Curve  $an=vy$ , whence  $y\dot{v} + v\dot{y} = 0$ , and  $\dot{v} = \frac{-v\dot{y}}{y} = \frac{-an\dot{y}}{yy}$ : But by similar Triangles  $\dot{v} = \frac{a\dot{x}}{y}$ , therefore  $y\dot{x} = -n\dot{y}$ , let  $\dot{x}=1$ , then  $\dot{y} = \frac{-y}{n}$ , and  $\ddot{y} = \frac{-\dot{y}}{n} = \frac{y}{nn}$ . Therefore  $\frac{y \times \sqrt{1+\dot{y}^2}}{1+\ddot{y}y} = \frac{y \times \sqrt{n^2+y^2}}{n^3} =$  (because the Subtangent  $BT=n$ )  $\frac{y \times TM}{n^3} = \frac{y \times GM}{y^3} = \frac{GM}{y^2}$ , supposing  $BG$  perpendicular to  $BM$ .

Ex. 16.

62. Let  $BM$  be a kind of Spiral, Radius  $BD=a$ , Arch  $DF=t$ ,  $BM=y$ , Arch  $MR=v$ , and let its Nature be  $a^2y=v^3$ . By the similar Sectors  $BMR$  and  $BFD$ ,  $v = \frac{ty}{a}$ , whence  $a^2=t^3y^2$ , in Fluxions  $3y^2t^2\dot{t} + 2t^3y\dot{y} = 0$ , by similar fluxionary Triangles  $\dot{t} = \frac{a\dot{x}}{y}$ , and expunging  $\dot{t}$ ,  $3a\dot{x} + 2t\dot{y} = 0$ , let  $\dot{y}=1$ , then  $\dot{x} = \frac{-2t}{3a}$ , and  $\ddot{x} = \frac{-2\dot{t}}{3a} = \frac{-2\dot{x}}{3y} = \frac{4t}{9ay} = \frac{4v}{9yy}$ : Therefore  $\frac{y \times \sqrt{1+\dot{x}^2}}{\dot{x} + \dot{x}^3 + y\ddot{x}} = \frac{y \times \sqrt{9y^2 + 4v^2}}{-v \times 6yy + 8vv} = \frac{-v^3}{a^4} \times \frac{9v^4 + 4a^4}{6v^4 + 8a^4}$ .

Or thus, in particular Numbers.

Let  $y=1$ ,  $v=4$ ,  $\dot{y}=1$ , then  $\dot{x} = \frac{-2t}{3a} = \frac{-2v}{3y}$   
 $= \frac{-8}{3}$ , and  $\ddot{x} = \frac{-2\dot{x}}{3y} = \frac{16}{9}$ . Whence  $\frac{y \times 1 + \dot{x}^2}{\dot{x} + \dot{x}^3 + y\ddot{x}}$   
 $= \frac{-73\sqrt{73}}{536}$  the Radius of Curvature, where the  
 negative Sign relates only to the Position of it.

## SCHOLIUM.

Let there be any geometrical Curve defined by this  
 general Equation  $e + fx^m + gy^n + bx^r y^s = 0$ ; make  $AB$   
 $= x$ ,  $BM = y$ , the Perpendicular to the Curve  $MQ = \pi$ :  
 Then the Radius of Curvature may be expressed in  
 algebraic Terms affected with  $\pi$ , thus; compute the  
 value of  $\ddot{y}$  in the foregoing general Equation (putting  
 $\dot{x}$  invariable), which substitute in the Quantity  $\frac{\dot{z}^3}{-\dot{x}\ddot{y}}$   
 and put  $\frac{\pi}{y}$  for  $\frac{\dot{z}}{x}$ ; and the Radius of Curvature  
 will be =

$$\frac{\pi g y^{n-1} + s b x^r y^{s-1}}{\pi^2} \times \pi^3$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} &+ \frac{m \cdot m-1 \cdot f x^{m-2} + r \cdot r-1 \cdot b x^{r-2} y^s \times \pi g y^{n-1} + s b x^r y^{s-1}}{2} \\ &- \frac{2 r s b x^{r-1} y^{s-1} \times m f x^{m-1} + r b x^{r-1} y^s \times \pi g y^{n-1} + s b x^r y^{s-1}}{2} \\ &+ \frac{n \cdot n-1 \cdot g y^{n-2} + s \cdot s-1 \cdot b x^r y^{s-2} \times m f x^{m-1} + r b x^{r-1} y^s}{2} \end{aligned} \right\} \times y^3.$$

## Example.

Let  $b x^2 - a y^2 + a b x = 0$ , represent an Hyperbola,  $a =$   
 Transverse,  $b =$  Parameter. Comparing this with the  
 general Form, we shall find  $e=0$ ,  $f=b$ ,  $m=2$ ,  
 $g=-a$ ,  $n=2$ ,  $h=ab$ ,  $r=1$ ,  $s=0$ , whence the

$$\text{Radius of Curvature} = \frac{-2 a y^3 \times \pi^3}{2 b x - 2 a y^2 - 2 a \times 2 b x + a b^2}$$

$$= (\text{expunging } x) \frac{-2 a y^3 \pi^3}{-2 a^2 b^2 y^3} = \frac{4 \pi^3}{b b}. \text{ And it}$$

will be the same for the Ellipsis.

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## PROB. VI.

To determine the (Quality or Degree of) Variation of Curvature in any Point of a Curve.

FIG. The Variation of Curvature depends on the Moment of the Radius of Curvature, and the Moment of the Curve; and it is as the Moment of the Radius of Curvature if the Moment of the Curve is given; and reciprocally as the Moment of the Curve if the Moment of the Radius is given. Therefore this Variation is as the Fluxion of the Radius of Curvature divided by the Fluxion of the Curve: Therefore,

1. Find the Radius of Curvature by the last Problem, which divide by the Fluxion of the Curve; and the Fluxions may be exterminated by the Equation of the given Curve, or perhaps by expressing their Ratio by Help of the Tangent, Ordinate, or Subnormal.

2. In Curves referred to an Axis, finding the Fluxion of the Quantity  $\frac{\dot{z}^3}{\dot{y}}$  which divide by  $\dot{z}$ , putting  $\dot{x}=1$ , and exterminating  $\dot{z}$ ,  $\ddot{z}$ , you will get the following Rule. Put  $x$  for the Abscissa,  $y$  for the Ordinate,  $\dot{x}=1$ : Then substitute the Values of  $\dot{y}$ ,  $\ddot{y}$ ,  $\dot{y}$  (got from the Equation of the Curve) into the Quantity  $\frac{-3\dot{y}^2 + \ddot{y} \times 1 + \dot{y}^2}{\dot{y}^2}$ , and it will give the Variation.

Example 1.

52. Let the Curve be a Parabola, then  $ax=yy$ , and  $\dot{y} = \frac{a}{2y}$ ,  $\ddot{y} = \frac{-a\dot{y}}{2y^2} = \frac{-1}{2y^3}$ ,  $\dot{y} = \frac{2a\dot{y}^2 - a\ddot{y}}{2y^3}$ . Now if  $a=2$ ,  $x=\frac{1}{2}$ ,  $y=1$ , then  $\dot{y}=1$ ,  $\ddot{y}=-1$ ,  $\dot{y}=3$ , whence  $\frac{-3\dot{y}^2 + \ddot{y} \times 1 + \dot{y}^2}{\dot{y}^2} = 3$ . Likewise if  $x=2$ ,  $y=2$ , then the Variation = 6.

In

*In general,*

FIG.

Since  $ax = y^2$ , therefore  $\dot{y} = \frac{a}{2y}$ , and  $\ddot{y} = \frac{-a\dot{y}}{2yy} = \frac{-aa}{4y^3}$ , and  $\dot{y} = \frac{2a\dot{y}^2 - a\ddot{y}}{2y^3} = \frac{3a\dot{y}}{4y^4} = \frac{3a^3}{8y^5}$ .

Whence  $\frac{-3\ddot{y}^2 + \dot{y} \times 1 + \dot{y}^2}{\dot{y}^2} = \frac{-3a^5}{32y^7} + \frac{3a^3}{8y^5} + \frac{3a^5}{32y^7} \times \frac{16y^6}{a^4} = \frac{6y}{a}$ .

Ex. 2.

*In the Ellipsis let  $bx = \frac{b}{a}xx = yy$ . Suppose  $a = \frac{2}{3}$ ,  $b = 2$ , to find the Variation of Curvature when  $x = \frac{1}{2}$ , and  $y = \frac{1}{2}$ . By the Process of Example 2 of the last Problem,  $\dot{y} = \frac{ab - 2bx}{2ay} = -1$ ,  $\ddot{y} = \frac{b + a\dot{y}^2}{-ay} = -8$ , and it will be found that  $\dot{y} = \frac{b + a\dot{y}^2 - 2a\ddot{y}}{a\ddot{y}} \times \dot{y} = -48$ . Whence  $\frac{-3\ddot{y}^2 + \dot{y} \times 1 + \dot{y}^2}{\dot{y}^2} = \frac{3}{2}$  the Variation required.*

*Or in general thus :*

By the last Problem the Radius of Curvature is  $\frac{aabb + 4aayy - 4abyy}{2bba^3}$ , and its Fluxion divided by

$\dot{z}$  is  $\frac{a-b}{bbaa\dot{z}} \times 6y\dot{y}\sqrt{aabb + 4aayy - 4abyy}$ . But from the Equation of the Curve  $\frac{\dot{y}}{\dot{z} = \sqrt{\dot{x}^2 + \dot{y}^2}} =$

$\frac{ab - 2bx}{\sqrt{aabb + 4aayy - 4abyy}}$ ; whence the Variation of Curvature becomes  $\frac{a-b}{baa} \times \frac{1}{2}a - x \times 12y$ ; and is therefore every where as the Rectangle  $mBO$ , supposing  $O$  the Center.

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Ex. 3.

FIG. *Let*  $x=y^3$  *denote a cubic Parabola*; then  $3y^2\dot{y}=1$ ,  
 52. and  $\dot{y} = \frac{1}{3y^2}$ ,  $\ddot{y} = \frac{-2\dot{y}}{3y^3} = \frac{-2}{9y^5}$ ,  $\dot{y} = \frac{10\ddot{y}}{9y^6} = \frac{10}{27y^8}$ ; whence  $-3\dot{y} + \frac{\ddot{y}}{y^2} \times \frac{1}{1+\dot{y}^2} = \frac{15y^2}{2} - \frac{1}{6yy}$   
 the Variation required.

Ex. 4.

55. *In the Cycloid*  $Am$  the Radius of Curvature is  $2\sqrt{aa-ax}$  and its Fluxion  $= \frac{-a\dot{x}}{\sqrt{aa-ax}}$ ; but by the  
 Property of the Figure  $\dot{z} = \frac{AD \times \dot{x}}{x} = \frac{DR \times \dot{x}}{y} = \frac{\dot{x}\sqrt{aa-ax}}{y}$ , whence  $\frac{-a\dot{x}}{z\sqrt{aa-ax}} = \frac{-ay}{aa-ax} = \frac{-y}{BR}$   
 $= -\frac{AB}{BD}$ . The negative Sign only shews that the  
 Curvature increases.

Ex. 5.

59. *In the Logarithmic Spiral*, (by Ex. 12. Prob. V.)  
 the Radius of Curvature is  $\frac{cy}{t}$  (putting  $c:t:d::$   
 $TM:TB:BM$ ), and its Fluxion is  $\frac{c\dot{y}}{t}$ , and  $\dot{z} =$   
 $\frac{c\dot{y}}{d}$ ; therefore  $\frac{c\dot{y}}{t\dot{z}} = \frac{d}{t}$  for the Variation of Curva-  
 ture, which therefore is uniform.

Ex. 6.

61. *Let*  $BM$  *be the hyperbolic Spiral*, (Ex. 15. Prob. last)  
 the Radius of Curvature is  $\frac{y \times \sqrt{n^2+y^2}}{n^3}$ , whose  
 Fluxion is  $\frac{n^2+4y^2}{n^3} \dot{y} \sqrt{n^2+y^2}$ , but the Subtangent  
 $BT=n$ , therefore  $\dot{z} = \frac{\dot{y}}{y} \sqrt{nn+yy}$ , by which divide  
 the other Quantity, then  $\frac{n^2y+4y^3}{n^2} =$  Variation of  
 Curvature in  $M$ . PROB.



## P R O B. VII.

To find the Nature of the Curve, by whose Evolution  
a given Curve is described.

A Curve  $ADM$  is said to be described by the Evolution of another Curve  $VEC$ , when a Line is supposed to be applied to the convex Side of the Curve  $VEC$ , and the End of it  $A$  is made to move with a circular Motion, and to describe the Curve  $ADM$ ; whilst the Part  $DE$  or  $MC$  that continually leaves the Curve  $VEC$  is extended into a right Line. The Curve  $VEC$  is called the Evolute of  $ADM$ . FIG. 64.

Hence it appears, that the Line  $CM$  which is a Tangent at  $C$  to the Curve  $VEC$ , is the Radius of Curvature in  $M$  of the Curve  $ADM$ , and is equal in Length to the Curve  $CE$  + the right Line  $ED$  the Tangent at  $E$ ; or to the Length of the Curve  $CE$  + the Line  $VA$ . Now the Evolute  $VEC$  being the Locus of the Center of Curvature of all the Points of the Curve  $ADM$ , the Nature of the Curve  $VEC$  is to be found. Therefore,

1. In Curves related to an Axis, put the Abscissa  $AB=x$ , perpendicular Ordinate  $BM=y$ , and let  $CM$  be the Radius of Curvature, and draw  $CH$  parallel to  $AB$ , and  $CL$  to  $BM$ , and produce  $MB$  to  $H$ , and put  $v, u$ , for the Abscissa and Ordinate of the Curve  $VC$  referred to the Axis  $AL$ ; then find  $MH, HC$  by Prob. V. and expanding  $x$  and  $y$ , the Nature of the Curve  $VC$  will be discovered.

2. And in Spirals find the Radius of Curvature  $MC$  by Prob. V. which will give all the Points  $C$  in the Evolute.

COROL. Hence it will be easy to find any Number of Curves whose Lengths may be expressed by finite Equations.

FIG. Equations; by assuming any Curve  $AM$  at Pleasure, and finding its Evolute  $EC$ : For the Radius of Curvature  $MC$  will give the Length of the Evolute; or  $MC - DE =$  Length of the Part  $EC$  of the Curve.

Ex. 1.

64. Let  $AM$  be a Parabola,  $ax=yy$ , and putting  $\dot{y}=1$ , we shall find (by Prob. V.)  $CH = \frac{1+\dot{x}^2}{\ddot{x}} = \frac{1}{2}a + 2x$ , and  $MH = \dot{x} \times \frac{1+\dot{x}^2}{\ddot{x}} = CH \times \dot{x} = y + \frac{4xy}{a} = y + \frac{4y^3}{aa}$ , and when  $x$  and  $y$  is 0,  $AV = \frac{1}{2}a$ . Put  $v=VL$ ,  $u=LC$ , and we have  $v = (AB - AV + BL = x - \frac{1}{2}a + \frac{1}{2}a + 2x =) 3x$ , and  $u = (MH - MB =) \frac{4y^3}{aa} = \frac{4x\sqrt{ax}}{a}$ : Whence  $x^3 = \frac{v^3}{27} = \frac{auu}{16}$ ; or  $\frac{16v^3}{27a} = uu$ , for the Property of the Curve  $VC$ , which therefore is a semi-cubical Parabola whose Latus rectum is  $\frac{27}{16}a$ .

Ex. 2.

69. Let  $GM$  be the logarithmic Curve,  $AG=1$ ,  $AB=x$ ,  $BM=y$ . Subtangent  $RB=a$ , then  $ay=y\dot{x}$ , and (by Prob. V.)  $MH = \frac{-aa-yy}{y}$ , and  $HC = \frac{-aa-yy}{a}$ . Let  $v=AD=x - \frac{aa+yy}{a}$ ,  $u=DC=2y + \frac{aa}{y}$ , whence  $\dot{v} = \dot{x} - \frac{2y\dot{y}}{a} = \frac{aa-2yy}{ay} \dot{y}$ ; and  $\dot{u} = 2\dot{y} - \frac{aay\dot{y}}{yy} = \frac{2yy-aa}{yy} \dot{y}$ ; therefore  $\dot{y} = \frac{ay\dot{v}}{aa-2yy} = \frac{-yy\dot{u}}{aa-2yy}$ , or  $a\dot{v} = -y\dot{u}$ , the Equation of the Curve wherein the Center  $C$  is always found.

Now since  $\dot{v} = \frac{aa-2yy}{ay} \dot{y}$ , therefore  $v$  will increase when  $aa$  is greater than  $2yy$ , and decrease when  $2yy$  exceeds  $aa$ . Likewise  $u$  will increase when  $2yy$  exceeds

exceeds  $aa$ , that is when  $v$  decreases; and it will decrease when  $v$  increases.

Ex. 3.

Let  $AM$  be the Cycloid,  $AB=x$ ,  $BM=y$ , Arch  $AD=s$ , FIG. 65.  
 Axis  $TR=c$ ,  $AR=a$ ; then  $y=s+\sqrt{ax-xx}$ ,  $\dot{y}=\sqrt{a-x}$ ,  $\ddot{y}=\frac{-a}{2x\sqrt{ax-xx}}$ ; whence  $MH=\frac{1+\dot{y}^2}{-\ddot{y}}=2\sqrt{ax-xx}$ ,  $CH=\dot{y} \times MH=2a-2x$ . Let  $RN=v$ ,  $NC=u$ ; then  $v=a-x$ , and  $u=y-2\sqrt{ax-xx}=s-\sqrt{ax-xx}$ , that is (expunging  $x$ )  $u=s-\sqrt{av-vv}$ : And when  $x=0$ ,  $RP=a$ . Hence the Curve  $TCP$  is also a Cycloid equal to the Cycloid  $AMT$ . For completing the Parallelogram  $RTQP$ , and describing the semicircle  $TSQ$ ,  $NP=(a-v)=AB$ ,  $ES=(\sqrt{av-vv})=BD$ , Arch  $AD=QS$ , and  $EC=(c-u=c-s+\sqrt{av-vv}=EN-QS+ES)=TS+ES$ : Therefore  $TC$  is the Cycloid.

Ex. 4.

Suppose  $AM$  to be the Catenary,  $AB=x$ ,  $BM=y$ , 64:  
 $AM=z$ , and  $z=\sqrt{2ax+xx}$ , and  $\dot{z}=\frac{z}{a+x}$ ,  $\ddot{z}=\frac{aa}{a+x^2}$  (putting  $\dot{z}=1$ ) whence  $MH=\frac{\dot{z}\sqrt{1-\dot{z}^2}}{\ddot{z}}=\frac{z \times a+x}{a}$ ; and  $CH=\frac{1-\dot{z}^2}{\ddot{z}}=a-x$ , and when  $x=0$ ,  $HC$  or  $AV=a$ . Let  $VL=v$ ,  $LC=u$ , and we have  $v=2x$ , and  $u=\frac{z \times a+x}{a}-y=\frac{a+x}{a} \times \sqrt{2ax+xx}-y$ , whence  $u=\frac{2a+v}{2a} \sqrt{av+\frac{1}{4}vv}$ .  
 $2.30258a \times \text{Logarithm of } \frac{2a+v+\sqrt{av+\frac{1}{4}vv}}{2a}$ ,  
 because  $y=2.3025a \times$  into that Log.

Ex. 5.

## Ex. 5.

FIG. 66. Suppose  $VM$  to be a Curve whose Tangent  $MT$  is = the given Line  $a$ ,  $AB=x$ ,  $BM=y$ ,  $VM=z$ ,  $\dot{y}=1$ .

Then by the Nature of the Curve  $\dot{y} = \frac{-y\dot{z}}{\sqrt{aa-yy}} = \frac{-y\ddot{z}}{a}$ ; hence  $\ddot{z} = \frac{-a}{y}$ ,  $\ddot{z} = \frac{a}{yy}$ . Then  $MH = \frac{aa-yy}{-y}$ ,  $HC = -\sqrt{aa-yy}$ , the negative Signs shew they must be taken upward (and to the right Hand): But in the Vertex  $V$ ,  $MH$  and  $HC$  are nothing, therefore the Evolution begins in  $V$ .

Let  $AL=v$ ,  $LC=u$ , then  $v = \frac{aa-yy}{y} + y - a = \frac{aa-ay}{y}$ , and  $y = \frac{aa}{a+v}$ : Also  $u = x + \sqrt{aa-yy}$ , and  $\dot{u} = \dot{x} - \frac{y\dot{y}}{\sqrt{aa-yy}} = \frac{-\dot{y}}{y} \sqrt{aa-yy} - \frac{y\dot{y}}{\sqrt{aa-yy}} = \frac{-a\dot{y}}{y\sqrt{aa-yy}} = (\text{expunging } y \text{ and } \dot{y}) \frac{a\dot{v}}{\sqrt{2av+vv}}$ , an Equation to the Catenary, therefore  $VC$  is the Catenary Curve.

## Ex. 6.

70. Let  $AM$  be the Cissoid whose Equation is  $ax^2 - yx^3 = y^3$ , and suppose  $a=10$ . To find the Point  $C$  of the Evolute when  $y=2$ ,  $x=1$ . By a former Calculation (Example 5. Prob. V.)  $\dot{x} = \frac{3xyy+x^3}{2y^3} = \frac{13}{8}$ ,  $\ddot{x} = \frac{6xy+3xx-3yy \times \dot{x}}{2y^3} = \frac{75}{16 \times 16}$ ; whence (by Prob. V.)  $HC = \frac{1+\dot{x}^2}{\ddot{x}} = 5\frac{2}{3} = BL$ , and  $MH = \dot{x} \times HC = 4\frac{1}{3}$ , and  $LC = 2\frac{2}{3}$ . And so for any other given Point of the Curve.

## Ex. 7.

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Let  $BM$  be the Log. Spiral,  $TBC$  perpendicular to  $BM$ ; and let  $c:t:s::TM:TB:BM$ . Then (by FIG. 67.

Ex. 12. Pr. V.)  $MC = \frac{cy}{t}$ , and  $BC = \frac{sy}{t}$ . Therefore since the Angle  $BCM$  is equal  $BMT$ , the Curve  $BC$  is also a Log. Spiral, the same with  $BM$ .

## Ex. 8.

Suppose  $BM$  an hyperbolic Spiral,  $BE$  perpendicular to  $BM$ ,  $MC$  perpendicular to the Tangent in  $M$ ; Let Radius  $BA=a$ , Arch  $AO=n$ ,  $BM=y$ , then (by 68.

Ex. 15. Pr. V.) Radius of Curvature in  $M = \frac{EM^2}{yy}$ ; therefore draw  $EG$  perpendicular to  $EM$  and  $GC$  perpendicular to  $GM$ , and the Point  $C$  is in the Evolute required.

## P R O B. VIII.

To determine the Length of Curve Lines.

Draw the Ordinate  $BM$  perpendicular to the Axis  $AB$ , and  $nb$  parallel and infinitely near to  $MB$ . And in Spirals draw  $Bn$  infinitely near  $BM$ ; and let  $Mr$  be perpendicular to  $nB$  or  $nb$ . Let the Abscissa  $AB=x$ , Ordinate  $BM=y$ , Curve  $AM=z$ ,  $Mr=\dot{x}$ ,  $rn=\dot{y}$ ,  $Mn=\dot{z}$ . In the right-angled Triangle  $Mnr$ ,  $\dot{z} = \sqrt{\dot{x}^2 + \dot{y}^2}$ , therefore  $\dot{z} = \sqrt{\dot{x}^2 + \dot{y}^2}$ ; wherefore, 71.

By the Nature of the Curve exterminate  $\dot{x}$  or  $\dot{y}$  out of the Equation  $\dot{z} = \sqrt{\dot{x}^2 + \dot{y}^2}$ ; and the Fluent will give  $z$  the length of the Curve. 72.

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Ex. 1.

## Ex. 1.

FIG. 73. Let the Nature of the Curve be  $\frac{2}{3aa} \times \overline{aa+xx}^{\frac{3}{2}} = y$ .

Then it's Fluxion is  $\dot{y} = \frac{2x\dot{x}}{aa} \sqrt{aa+xx}$ : Then  $\dot{z} =$

$$\sqrt{\dot{x}^2 + \dot{y}^2} = \dot{x} \sqrt{1 + \frac{4xx}{aa} + \frac{4x^4}{a^4}} = \dot{x} + \frac{2x^2\dot{x}}{aa} : \text{ And}$$

(by Form the 1st) the Fluent  $z = x + \frac{2x^3}{3aa}$ , which needs no Correction.

## Ex. 2.

74. In the common Parabola  $ax=yy$ . Here  $\dot{x} = \frac{2y\dot{y}}{a}$ ,

whence  $\dot{z} = \sqrt{\dot{x}^2 + \dot{y}^2} = \frac{\dot{y}}{a} \sqrt{aa+4yy}$ : And by Form the 9th and 13th, the corrected Fluent  $z = \frac{y}{a} \sqrt{\frac{1}{4}aa+yy} + \frac{2.30258a}{4} \times \text{Log.} \frac{y + \sqrt{\frac{1}{4}aa+yy}}{\frac{1}{2}a}$ .

## Ex. 3.

74. In the semicubical Parabola  $ax^2=y^3$ , or  $x = \frac{y^{\frac{3}{2}}}{a^{\frac{1}{2}}}$ ,

and  $\dot{x} = \frac{3y^{\frac{1}{2}}\dot{y}}{2a^{\frac{1}{2}}}$ : And therefore  $\dot{z} = \sqrt{\dot{x}^2 + \dot{y}^2} =$

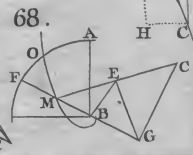
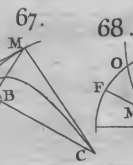
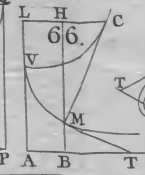
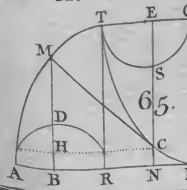
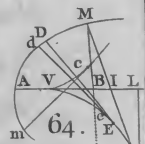
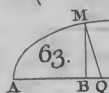
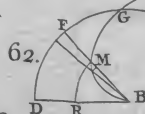
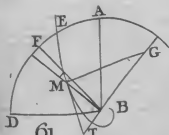
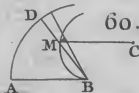
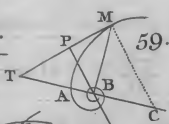
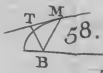
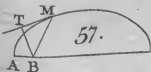
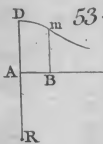
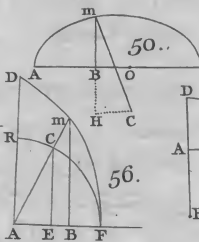
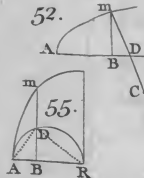
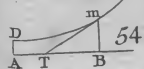
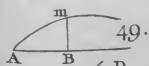
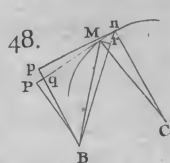
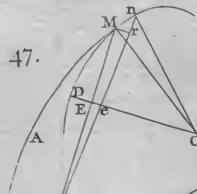
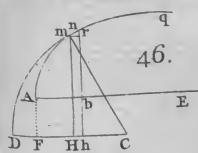
$\dot{y} \sqrt{1 + \frac{9y}{4a}}$ , whose Fluent, by Form the 3d, is  $z =$

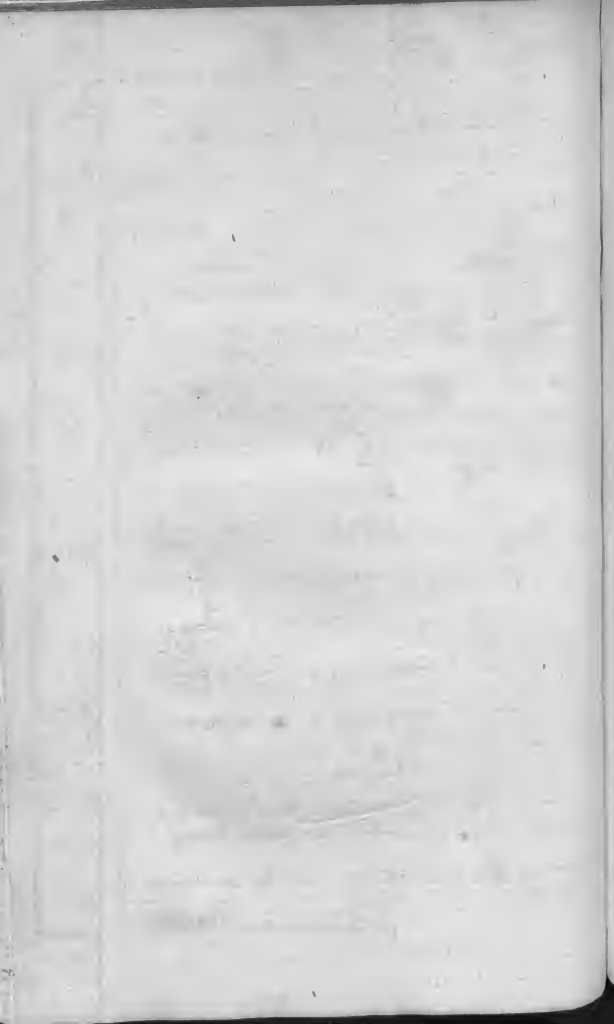
$\frac{8a}{27} \times 1 + \frac{9y}{4a}^{\frac{3}{2}}$ . But in the Vertex,  $y$  and  $z = 0$ ;

(whence  $0 = \frac{8a}{27}$ ); therefore (Prob. XII. Sect. I.)

the Fluent corrected is  $z = \frac{8a}{27} \times 1 + \frac{9y}{4a}^{\frac{3}{2}} - \frac{8a}{27}$ .

## Ex. 4.







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Let  $ax^m = y^{m+1}$  be an Equation for various Parabolas. FIG.

Then  $x = \frac{y^{\frac{m+1}{m}}}{a^{\frac{1}{m}}}$ , and  $\dot{x} = \frac{m+1}{ma^{\frac{1}{m}}} y^{\frac{1}{m}} \dot{y}$ , and  $\dot{x}^2 =$  74.

$\left(\frac{m+1}{ma^{\frac{1}{m}}}\right)^2 y^{\frac{2}{m}} \dot{y}^2 = by^{\frac{2}{m}} \dot{y}^2$  (putting  $b = \frac{(m+1)^2}{ma^{\frac{2}{m}}}$ ). Whence

$\dot{z} = \dot{y} \sqrt{1 + by^{\frac{2}{m}}} = y^{\frac{1}{m}} \dot{y} \sqrt{b + y^{-\frac{2}{m}}}$ . Now the Fluent of  $y^{\frac{1}{m}} \dot{y} \sqrt{b + y^{-\frac{2}{m}}}$  will be had by Form the 15th, in finite Terms, when  $m$  is any positive even Number.

And likewise the Fluent of  $\dot{y} \sqrt{1 + by^{\frac{2}{m}}}$  will be found by Form the 11th, when  $m$  is any odd Number; finding first the Fluent of  $y^{\frac{1}{m}-1} \dot{y} \sqrt{1 + by^{\frac{2}{m}}}$  by Form the 9th and 13th.

## Ex. 5.

To find the Length of the Arch of the Circle AM. 75.

Let Radius  $AC=r$ . Sine  $BM=y$ .  $AB=x$ , by the

Nature of the Circle  $2rx - xx = yy$ , and  $\dot{x} = \frac{y\dot{y}}{r-x} =$

$\frac{y\dot{y}}{\sqrt{rr-yy}}$ , therefore  $\dot{z} = \sqrt{\dot{x}^2 + \dot{y}^2} = \frac{r\dot{y}}{\sqrt{rr-yy}}$ ;

and, by Form the 16th,  $z = y + \frac{y^2}{2.3rr} A + \frac{3.3yy}{4.5rr} B$

$+ \frac{5.5yy}{6.7.rr} C \text{ \&c.}$  where  $A, B, C, \text{ \&c.}$  are the whole foregoing Terms.

Otherwise thus:

Let  $AC = r$ , Tangent  $AT = t$ ,  $Tt = i$ ,  $AM = z$ , 76.

$Mn = \dot{z}$ , then  $CT = \sqrt{rr+tt}$ . By similar Triangles

$CA\dot{T}$  and  $Tir$ ,  $Tr = \frac{r\dot{t}}{\sqrt{rr+tt}}$ ; and by the similar Triangles,

Triangles,  $CMn$ ,  $CTr$ ,  $\dot{z} = \frac{rrt'}{rr+tt}$ , or  $\dot{z} = \frac{rrt}{rr+tt}$   
 $= t - \frac{t^2}{rr} + \frac{t^4}{r^4} - \frac{t^6}{r^6} \mathcal{E}c$ . Whence (by Form  
 the 16th) the Fluent  $z = t - \frac{t^3}{3rr} + \frac{t^5}{5r^4} - \frac{t^7}{7r^6} +$   
 $\frac{t^9}{9r^8} \mathcal{E}c$ .

Now if  $r=1$ , and Arch  $AM=30^\circ$ , then  $t=\sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}$ :  
 And then  $z = \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} \times 1 - \frac{1}{3 \cdot 3} + \frac{1}{5 \cdot 3^2} - \frac{1}{7 \cdot 3^3} +$   
 $\frac{1}{9 \cdot 3^4} - \mathcal{E}c = \frac{1}{12}$  the Circumference: And half the  
 Circumference  $= \frac{\sqrt{12}}{1} - \frac{\frac{1}{3}A}{3} - \frac{\frac{1}{3}B}{5} - \frac{\frac{1}{3}C}{7} - \frac{\frac{1}{3}D}{9}$   
 $\mathcal{E}c$ ; where  $A, B, C, \mathcal{E}c$ . are the preceding Nume-  
 rators with their Signs.

Or thus, by collecting every two Terms into one,  
 we shall have half the Circumference  $= \frac{1}{3}\sqrt{3} \times$  into  
 $\frac{1}{1 \cdot 3} + \frac{2}{5 \cdot 7 \cdot 9} + \frac{3}{9 \cdot 11 \cdot 9^2} + \frac{4}{13 \cdot 15 \cdot 9^3} \mathcal{E}c$ ; that  
 is putting  $\frac{1}{3}\sqrt{3}=A$ ,  $\frac{1}{3}A=B$ ,  $\frac{1}{3}B=C$ ,  $\frac{1}{3}C=D \mathcal{E}c$ ;  
 then half the Circumference  $= \frac{1}{1 \cdot 3} A + \frac{2}{5 \cdot 7} B +$   
 $\frac{3}{9 \cdot 11} C + \frac{4}{13 \cdot 15} D + \frac{5}{17 \cdot 19} E + \frac{6}{21 \cdot 23} F + \mathcal{E}c$ .  
 Which series will be as follows.

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 345589386720314711  
 25993047890074953  
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 167216760279  
 16523819386  
 1653006776  
 167017749  
 17014780  
 1745405  
 180106  
 18680  
 1946  
 204  
 22  
 2

3,14159265358979323846  $\mathcal{E}c$   
 = half the Circumference.

Ex. 6.

Let FMD be the Quadrant of an Ellipsis,  $AD=a$ ,  $AF=c$ ,  $AB=x$ ,  $BM=y$ ,  $FM=z$ . Then by the

Nature of the Curve  $y = \frac{c}{a}\sqrt{aa-xx}$ , and  $\dot{y} =$

$$\frac{-c\dot{x}}{a\sqrt{aa-xx}}; \text{ whence } \dot{z} = \sqrt{\dot{x}^2 + \dot{y}^2} = \frac{\dot{x}\sqrt{a^4 - a^2xx + c^2xx}}{a\sqrt{aa-xx}}$$

$$= (\text{putting } d = \frac{aa-cc}{aa}) \frac{\dot{x}\sqrt{aa-dxx}}{\sqrt{aa-xx}} = \frac{\dot{x}\sqrt{a^2-dxxx+aa-xx}}{aa-xx}$$

$$= \dot{x} + \frac{1-d}{2aa} x^2 \dot{x} + \frac{3-2d-dd}{8a^3} x^4 \dot{x} \mathcal{E}c; \text{ whence}$$

$$z = x + \frac{1-d}{6aa} x^3 + \frac{3-2d-dd}{40a^3} x^5 + \frac{5-3d-dd-d^3}{112a^5} x^7 +$$

$\mathcal{E}c$ , for the Arch FM.

But

FIG. But for the Quadrant  $FD$ ,  $\dot{z} = \frac{\dot{x}\sqrt{aa-dxx}}{\sqrt{aa-xx}} =$   
 $\frac{\dot{x}}{\sqrt{aa-xx}} \times a - \frac{dxx}{2a} - \frac{ddx^4}{2.4a^3} - \frac{3d^3x^6}{2.4.6a^5} \mathcal{E}c$ , but  
 the Fluent of  $\frac{\dot{x}}{\sqrt{aa-xx}} =$  Arch of the circumscrib-  
 ing Quadrant of the Circle divided by  $a = \frac{\mathcal{Q}}{a}$  ;  
 whence the Quadrant  $FD$  or  $z = \mathcal{Q} \times 1 - \frac{d}{2.2} +$   
 $\frac{3d}{4.4}A + \frac{3.5d}{6.6}B + \frac{5.7d}{8.8}C + \mathcal{E}c$ , by Form 17th.

Ex. 7.

78. To find the Length of the Arch of the Hyperbola.  
 Let  $a =$  half the Transverse,  $c = AF$  half the conju-  
 gate,  $AB = x$ ,  $BM = y$ : Then  $y = \sqrt{cc + \frac{cc}{aa}xx}$ ,  
 and  $\dot{y} = \frac{c\dot{x}x}{\sqrt{a^4 + aaxx}}$ , and  $\dot{x}^2 + \dot{y}^2 = \frac{aa + \frac{aa+cc}{aa}xx}{aa+xx} \dot{x}^2$  ;  
 put  $d = \frac{aa+cc}{aa}$ , and then  $\dot{z} = \dot{x} \sqrt{\frac{aa+dxx}{aa+xx}} =$   
 $\dot{x} \sqrt{1 - \frac{1-d}{aa}x^2 - \frac{1-d}{a^4}x^4 - \frac{1-d}{a^6}x^6} = \dot{x} \times 1 -$   
 $\frac{1-d}{2aa}x^2 + \frac{3-2d-dd}{8a^4}x^4 - \frac{5-3d-dd-dd^3}{16a^6}x^6 +$   
 $\mathcal{E}c$  ; therefore  $z = x - \frac{1-d}{6aa}x^3 + \frac{3-2d-dd}{40a^4}x^5 -$   
 $\frac{5-3d-dd-dd^3}{112a^6}x^7 \mathcal{E}c$  for the Arch  $FM$ .

Ex. 8.

79. Let  $AM$  be the Cycloid,  $AB = x$ ,  $BM = y$ ,  $AR = a$ ,  
 $BD = v$ . Arch  $AD = s$ , then  $y = s + v$ , by the Nature  
 of the Circle  $vv = ax - xx$ , and  $\dot{v} = \frac{a\dot{x} - 2x\dot{x}}{2v}$ , and  
 $\dot{z} =$

$$\dot{s} = \frac{a\dot{x}}{2v}; \text{ therefore } \dot{y} = \dot{s} + \dot{v} = \frac{a-x}{v}\dot{x}, \text{ whence } \dot{z} = \text{FIG.}$$

$$\sqrt{\dot{x}^2 + \dot{y}^2} = \dot{x}\sqrt{1 + \frac{a-x^2}{vv}} = \frac{\dot{x}}{v}\sqrt{aa-ax} = \frac{\dot{x}\sqrt{aa-ax}}{\sqrt{ax-xx}}$$

$$= \dot{x}\sqrt{\frac{a}{x}}. \text{ Therefore } z = 2\sqrt{ax} = 2 \text{ Cord } AD.$$

Ex. 9.

Let  $GM$  be the Log. Curve,  $AB=x$ ,  $BM=y$ ,  $AG=b$ , Subtangent  $BR=a$ , then  $a\dot{y}=y\dot{x}$ , therefore  $\dot{z} =$  69.

$$\sqrt{\dot{x}^2 + \dot{y}^2} = \frac{\dot{y}}{y}\sqrt{aa+yy} = \frac{y\dot{y}}{\sqrt{aa+yy}} + \frac{aay^{-2}\dot{y}}{\sqrt{1+aa\dot{y}^2}}.$$

Whence (by Form the 3d and 9th)  $z = \sqrt{aa+yy} -$

$$2.30258a \times \text{Log.} \frac{a+\sqrt{aa+yy}}{y}; \text{ and corrected (by}$$

$$\text{Prop. XII.) } z \text{ or } GM = \sqrt{aa+yy} - \sqrt{aa+bb} +$$

$$2.302585a \times \text{Log.} \frac{ay+y\sqrt{aa+bb}}{ab+b\sqrt{aa+yy}}.$$

Ex. 10.

In the Cissoïd  $DM$ , let  $AD=a$ ,  $AB=x$ ,  $BM=y$ , 80.

$$\text{then } y = \frac{a-x^{\frac{1}{2}}}{\sqrt{ax-xx}} = \frac{a-x^{\frac{1}{2}}}{x^{\frac{1}{2}}}, \text{ and } \dot{y} =$$

$$\frac{-a\dot{x}-2x\dot{x}}{2xx}\sqrt{ax-xx}, \text{ whence } \dot{z} = \sqrt{\dot{x}^2 + \dot{y}^2} = \frac{a\dot{x}}{2x}$$

$$\sqrt{\frac{a+3x}{x}} = \frac{ax^{-\frac{1}{2}}\dot{x}}{2}\sqrt{a+3x}, \text{ and (by Form the 9th,}$$

$$13\text{th and } 12\text{th}) z = 2.3025a\sqrt{3} \times \text{Log.} \sqrt{3x+\sqrt{a+3x}}:$$

$$-a\sqrt{\frac{a+3x}{x}}. \text{ And the Fluent corrected, } z \text{ or } MD$$

$$= a\sqrt{\frac{a+3x}{x}} - 2a + 2.30258a\sqrt{3} \times \text{Log.} \frac{\sqrt{3a+\sqrt{4a}}}{\sqrt{3x+\sqrt{a+3x}}}.$$

Ex. 11.

Let  $AM$  be the Quadratrix,  $AB=x$ ,  $BM=y$ , Arch 81.

$AK=t$ , Sine  $KG=v$ ,  $AC=a$ . Then (by Ex. the 5th)

$$t =$$

FIG.  $t = v + \frac{v^3}{6aa} + \frac{3v^5}{40a^4} + \frac{5v^7}{112a^6} + \mathcal{E}c = y$ , by the Nature of the Quadratrix. Then by Reversion of Series  $v = y - \frac{y^3}{6aa} + \frac{y^5}{120a^4} - \frac{y^7}{5040a^6} \mathcal{E}c$ ; then  $\sqrt{aa - vv} = a - \frac{yy}{2a} + \frac{y^4}{24a^3} - \frac{y^6}{720a^5} \mathcal{E}c = CG$ ; and by similar Triangles  $(KG) v : GG :: (MB) y : (BC)$   $a - x = a - \frac{y^2}{3a} - \frac{y^4}{45a^3} - \frac{2y^6}{945a^5} \mathcal{E}c$ ; whence  $x = \frac{yy}{3a} + \frac{y^4}{45a^3} + \frac{2y^6}{945a^5} \mathcal{E}c$ ; and  $\dot{x} = \frac{2y\dot{y}}{3a} + \frac{4y^3\dot{y}}{45a^3} + \frac{4y^5\dot{y}}{315a^5} \mathcal{E}c$ ; therefore  $\dot{z} = \sqrt{\dot{x}^2 + \dot{y}^2} = \dot{y} \times 1 + \frac{2y^2}{9aa} + \frac{14y^4}{405a^4} + \frac{604y^6}{127575a^6} \mathcal{E}c$ , and  $z = y + \frac{2y^3}{27a^2} + \frac{14y^5}{2025a^4} + \frac{604y^7}{893025a^6} \mathcal{E}c$ .

Ex. 12.

82. Let  $BM$  be Archimedes's Spiral, whose Equation is  $rv = cy$ , putting  $v = \text{Arch } ED$ . Then  $r\dot{v} = c\dot{y}$ , but (by similar Triangles)  $\dot{v} = \frac{r\dot{x}}{y}$ , whence  $\dot{x} = \frac{cy\dot{y}}{rr}$ ; Therefore  $\dot{z} = \sqrt{\dot{x}^2 + \dot{y}^2} = \frac{\dot{y}}{rr} \times \sqrt{r^4 + ccyy}$ ; and (by Form the 9th and 13th) the Fluent (corrected) is  $z = \frac{y}{2rr} \sqrt{r^4 + ccyy} + \frac{2.302585rr}{2c} \times \text{Log.} \frac{cy + \sqrt{r^4 + ccyy}}{rr}$ .

Ex. 13.

83. Let  $BM$  be the Log. Spiral, and let  $c, t, s$ , express the Ratio of the Tangent  $TM$ , Subtangent  $TB$ , and Ordinate  $BM$ . Then  $\dot{z} = \frac{c\dot{y}}{s}$ , and the Fluent  $z = \frac{cy}{s} = TM$ . Therefore the Length of the Spiral  $MB$  making an infinite Number of Revolutions is equal to the Tangent  $MT$ .

Ex. 14

Ex. 14.

FIG.  
83.

Let  $BM$  be the hyperbolic spiral,  $AB=a$ , Arch  $Ao=b$ , Arch  $AD=v$ ,  $MB=y$ , then  $ab=vy$ , and thence  $vy+y\dot{v}=0$ , and  $y\dot{v}=-v\dot{y}=\frac{-aby}{y}$ ; and by similar Triangles  $-y\dot{v}=ax$ , and thence  $\dot{x}=\frac{by}{y}$ ; therefore  $\dot{z}=\sqrt{\dot{x}^2+\dot{y}^2}=\frac{\dot{y}}{y}\sqrt{bb+yy}=\frac{bby^2\dot{y}}{\sqrt{1+bb}y^2}+\frac{yy\dot{y}}{\sqrt{bb+yy}}$ . And the Fluent (by Form 3 and 9) is

$$z=\sqrt{bb+yy}-b \times 2.302585 \text{ Log. } \frac{b+\sqrt{bb+yy}}{y}:$$

Whence taking any Ordinate  $BQ=d$ , the Length of the Arch  $QM=\sqrt{bb+dd}-\sqrt{bb+yy}+2.30258b \times \text{Log. } \frac{by+y\sqrt{bb+dd}}{bd+d\sqrt{bb+yy}}$ .

## PROB. IX.

To transform Spirals into geometrical Curves, or geometrical Curves into Spirals, of equal Length.

Let  $ADd$  be a geometrical Curve related to the Axis  $AB$ ; let the perpendicular Ordinates  $BD, bd$ , be infinitely near together; and let the Points  $Bb$  be supposed to approach one another, and to coincide in  $B$ , whilst the Particle of the Curve  $Dd$  remains the same; then the Parallelogram  $BDdb$  will be changed into the triangle  $BDd$ . In like manner let all the Points in  $AB$  be supposed to be contracted into one point  $B$ , and then the Figure  $ADd$  will be transformed into the Spiral  $QDd$ , whose Center is  $B$ , in which the corresponding Ordinates are equal, and the Triangles

84.

A a

Ddr

FIG. *Ddr* in both Figures similar and equal; and the Area of the Figure *ABD* twice the Area of the spiral *BQD*.

85.

Again let *ADd* be a Spiral, *ABD* it's Complement; *BD*, *bd*, two Arches of Circles infinitely near each other, whose Center is *A*; *AH* a geometrical Curve (to the Abscissa *AB=AD*) equal in Length to the Spiral: Let *BH*, *bb*, be drawn infinitely near each other, and *HK* parallel to *AB*. Then the Triangles *DdC* and *HbK* are similar and equal, therefore *dC=Kb*. Now let *AB* or *AD=y*, *BH=u*, Arch *BD=v*, and by similar Triangles  $y:v :: Ab: bC :: Bb: bC - v$

$$= \frac{v}{y} \times Bb. \text{ Therefore } bC + Cd - v \text{ or } bd - v = Kb + \frac{v}{y} \times Bb : \text{ therefore (because the Moments are as the Fluxions)}$$

$$\dot{v} = \dot{u} + \frac{v\dot{y}}{y}.$$

84.

1. Therefore in Curves referred to an Axis, let *AB=x*, *BD=y*, Radius *BR* or *BT=b*, Arch *RT=v*, *Dr=x*, *rd=y*, *TS=v*. In the Curve *AD*, expunge *x* and  $\dot{x}$  out of the Equation of the Curve, by help of the Equation  $b\dot{x} = y\dot{v}$ ; and the Fluent will give the Nature of the Spiral. Likewise in the Spiral *QD*, expunge all Quantities except *x* and *y* and their Fluxions out of the Equation  $b\dot{x} = y\dot{v}$ , by Help of the Equation of the Curve; and the Fluent will shew the Nature of the geometrical Curve *AD*.

85.

2. In the Spiral *AD*, where there is given the Relation of *AD* (*y*) to the Arch *BD* (*v*): By Help of the Equation of the Spiral, exterminate *v* and  $\dot{v}$  out of the Equation  $\dot{v} = \dot{u} + \frac{v\dot{y}}{y}$ , and the Fluent gives the Nature of the Curve *AH*. Or, by the Equation of the Curve *AH*, expunge *u* and  $\dot{u}$  out of the Equation  $\dot{v} = \dot{u} + \frac{v\dot{y}}{y}$ , and the Fluent gives the Nature of the Spiral.



## Example 1.

Let  $ax=yy$  denote a Parabola  $ADD$ , then we have FIG. 84.  
 $\dot{x} = \frac{2y\dot{y}}{a} = \frac{y\dot{v}}{b}$ , and  $2by=av$ ; whence the Fluent  
 $2by=av$ ; therefore the Spiral  $QD$  is that of Archi-  
 medes.

## Ex. 2.

Let  $AD$  be a Circle,  $2ax-xx=yy$ , Arch  $AD=z$ , 86.  
 therefore  $\dot{x} = \frac{y\dot{y}}{a-x} = \frac{y\dot{y}}{\sqrt{aa-yy}} = \frac{y\dot{v}}{b}$ , therefore  $\dot{v} =$   
 $\frac{b\dot{y}}{\sqrt{aa-yy}}$ , let  $b=a$ , then  $\dot{v} = \frac{a\dot{y}}{\sqrt{aa-yy}} = \dot{z}$ ,  
 therefore  $v=z$ , that is  $RT=AD$ , and  $BD=$   
 $TF$ ; draw  $GD$ , then since  $BG=BT$ , and  $BD=TF$ ,  
 and  $\angle DBG = \angle FTB$ , therefore  $\angle GDB = \angle BFT$   
 $=$  a Right-angle, and the Curve  $BDG$  is a Semi-circle.

## Ex. 3.

Let  $aa=xy$  be the Equation of an equilateral Hyper- 87.  
 bola between the Affymptotes, then  $x\dot{y}+y\dot{x}=0$ , and  
 $\dot{x} = \frac{-x\dot{y}}{y} = -\frac{aa}{yy}\dot{y} = \frac{y\dot{v}}{b}$ . Therefore  $-\frac{baa\dot{y}}{y^3}$   
 $=\dot{v}$ , and thence  $v = \frac{baa}{2yy}$ , or putting  $b=2a$ ,  
 $a^3=vy$ , for the Nature of the Spiral  $QD$ .

## Ex. 4.

Let  $ED$  be the logarithmic Curve, whose Equation 88.  
 is  $y\dot{x}=a\dot{y}$ , then  $\dot{x} = \frac{a\dot{y}}{y} = \frac{y\dot{v}}{b}$ , and  $\frac{ab\dot{y}}{yy} = \dot{v}$ ,  
 therefore  $v = -\frac{ab}{y}$ : Therefore any Portion of the  
 Arch  $RT$  or  $v$  is  $= ab \times \frac{DB-EA}{DB \times EA}$ ;  $BD, EA$  being  
 the corresponding Ordinates.

Ex. 5.

FIG. Let  $ay = bx$  denote a plain Triangle, then  $\dot{a}\dot{y} = b\dot{x} = y\dot{v}$ , therefore  $\frac{\dot{a}\dot{y}}{y} = \dot{v}$ , consequently  $v = a \times \text{Log. } y$  an Equation to the Log. Spiral.

Ex. 6.

84. Let  $\mathcal{QD}$  be the Spiral of Archimedes, whose Equation is  $dy = av$ ; then  $\frac{d\dot{y}}{a} = \dot{v} = \frac{b\dot{x}}{y}$ , or  $dy\dot{y} = ab\dot{x}$ , and the Fluent  $\frac{dyy}{2} = abx$ , or  $yy = \frac{2ab}{d}x$ , an Equation to a Parabola.

85. Or thus: Let  $AB = y$ ,  $BD = v$ , then  $av = yy$ , whence  $\frac{2y\dot{y}}{a} = \dot{v} = \dot{u} + \frac{v\dot{y}}{y} = \dot{u} + \frac{y\dot{y}}{a}$ , and  $\dot{u} = \frac{y\dot{y}}{a}$ ; therefore  $2au = yy$ , an Equation to the common Parabola, as before.

Ex. 7.

84. Let  $\mathcal{QD}$  be the logarithmic Spiral, whose Equation is  $\dot{a}\dot{y} = b\dot{x}$ , therefore  $ay = bx$  a plain Triangle.

Ex. 8.

88. Let  $\mathcal{QD}$  be the hyperbolic Spiral, then  $ab = vy$ , and  $v\dot{y} + y\dot{v} = 0$ , or  $\dot{v} = \frac{-v\dot{y}}{y} = \frac{-ab\dot{y}}{yy} = \frac{b\dot{x}}{y}$ , or  $\frac{-\dot{a}\dot{y}}{y} = \dot{x}$ , whence the Fluent  $-\frac{x}{a} = \text{Log. } y$  an Equation to the Log. Curve.

Ex. 9.

85. Suppose  $y^3 = av^2$  to denote the Spiral  $ADd$ , then  $\dot{v} = \frac{3y^{\frac{1}{2}}\dot{y}}{2\sqrt{a}} = \dot{u} + \frac{v\dot{y}}{y} = \dot{u} + \frac{y^{\frac{1}{2}}\dot{y}}{\sqrt{a}}$ ; therefore  $\dot{u} = \frac{y^{\frac{1}{2}}\dot{y}}{2\sqrt{a}}$ , whence  $u = \frac{y^{\frac{3}{2}}}{3\sqrt{a}}$ , or  $gav^2 = y^3$ , a semicubical Parabola.

Ex. 10.

Ex. 10.

If  $v = y\sqrt{\frac{a+y}{c}}$  be the Equation of the Spiral; then FIG. 85.  

$$\dot{v} = \frac{2a\dot{y} + 3y\dot{y}}{2\sqrt{ca+cy}} = \dot{u} + \frac{vy}{y} = \dot{u} + \dot{y}\sqrt{\frac{a+y}{c}} = \dot{u} + \frac{a\dot{y} + y\dot{y}}{\sqrt{ca+cy}};$$
 whence  $u = \frac{y\dot{y}}{2\sqrt{ca+cy}}$ , therefore  $u = \frac{y-2a}{3c}\sqrt{ca+cy}$ .

Ex. 11.

Let  $BDdE$  be a Semicircle,  $BD=y$ ,  $BE=a$ , by si- 89.  
 milar Triangles  $Dr = \frac{BD \times rd}{ED}$ , or  $\dot{x} = \frac{y\dot{y}}{\sqrt{aa-yy}}$ ,  
 whence  $x = -\sqrt{aa-yy}$ ; when corrected,  $x = a - \sqrt{aa-yy} = BE - ED$ , therefore  $ADL$  is the Quadrant  
 of a Circle, whose Radius is  $a$ .

Ex. 12.

Let  $\mathcal{Q}Dd$  be a Parabola,  $B$  the Focus  $a =$  Latus 90.  
 rectum,  $BD=y$ ,  $DP$  a Tangent: By the Nature of  
 the Figure the Perpendicular  $BP = \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{ay}$ , and by si-  
 milar Triangles  $Dr = \frac{BP \times dr}{PD}$ , or  $\dot{x} = \frac{a\dot{y}}{\sqrt{4ay-aa}}$ ;  
 therefore  $x = \sqrt{ay - \frac{1}{4}aa} =$  Ordinate  $DI$ : Hence the  
 Curve will be the same Parabola referred to the Axis  
 $AB$ ; making  $A\mathcal{Q} = \mathcal{Q}B$ , and  $AB$  perpendicular to  
 $A\mathcal{Q}$ .

PROB.

## P R O B. X.

To find the Areas of Curves.

FIG. 91. In any Curve  $AD$  related to the Abscissa  $AB$ , produce the Ordinate  $DB$  till  $BE$  be equal to a given Line, and completing the Parallelogram  $ABEC$ , if the Areas  $ACEB$  and  $ADB$  be conceived to be generated by the right Lines  $BE$ ,  $BD$ , moving along the Abscissa  $AB$ ; then the Fluxions of the Areas  $ACEB$  and  $ABD$  will be as the describing Lines  $BE$ ,  $BD$ , drawn into their Velocities of moving, that is into the Fluxions of the Abscissas: Now since  $BE \times AB = \text{Area } ACEB$ , and therefore the Fluxion of the Area  $ACEB = BE \times \text{Fluxion of } AB$ ; consequently the Fluxion of the Area  $ABD = DB \times \text{Fluxion of } AB$ .

92. In like Manner in Curves related to a fixed Point  $B$ , the fluxionary Triangle  $BDM$  is the Moment of the Area, and this is  $= BM \times \frac{DR}{2}$ , or  $=$  the Perpendicular  $BT$  (on the Tangent at  $M$ )  $\times$  by  $\frac{1}{2}DM$ ; but  $DR$  and  $DM$  are as their generating Fluxions. Hence,

91. 1. In Curves related to an Axis  $AB$ , let  $AB = x$ ,  $BD = y$ , Area  $ABD = z$ , then  $\dot{z} = y\dot{x}$ ; therefore by the Equation of the Curve, expunge one of the Quantities  $y$  or  $x$  out of the Equation  $\dot{z} = y\dot{x}$ , and finding the Fluent it gives the Value of  $z$  the Area. Sometimes it will be necessary to find the Area of the Complement  $ABD$ , but the Rule will still be the same if you make  $Ab$  the Abscissa.

Note, if the Ordinates are not at Right-angles to the Abscissa, the Area before found must be diminished in the Ratio of Radius to the Sine of the true Angle.

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2. In Curves related to a fixed Point B, let  $BD=y$ , Perpendicular  $BT$  (on the Tangent)  $=p$ . Curve  $AD =v$ ,  $DR=\dot{x}$ , Area  $BAD=z$ : Then by the Nature of the Curve expunge  $y$  or  $\dot{x}$  out of the Equation  $\dot{z} = \frac{y\dot{x}}{2}$ ; or expunge  $p$  or  $\dot{v}$  out of the Equation  $\dot{z} = \frac{p\dot{v}}{2}$ ; and the Fluent will give  $z$  the Area.

And if the fluxionary Triangle  $BDM$  can be computed any other way, and the heterogeneous Quantities expunged by the Equation of the Curve; the Fluent will give the Area as before.

Ex. 1.

To find the Area of a Triangle. Let the Base  $CD=b$ , Perpendicular  $AQ=p$ ,  $AB=x$ ,  $dD$  (parallel to  $CD$ )  $=y$ : By similar Triangles  $y = \frac{bx}{p}$ , therefore  $\dot{z} = y\dot{x} = \frac{bxx}{p}$ , therefore the Fluent  $z = \frac{bxx}{2p} = \frac{xy}{2}$ ; and when  $x=p$ , and  $y=b$ , the Area  $z = \frac{bp}{2}$ . Or since  $\dot{x} = \frac{py}{b}$ , therefore  $\dot{z} = y\dot{x} = \frac{py\dot{y}}{b}$ , and  $z = \frac{pyy}{2b} = \frac{xy}{2}$ , as before.

Otherwise thus;

Let the Perpendicular  $BC=p$ ,  $BD=y$ ,  $de=y$ ; and by similar Triangles  $Dd = \frac{y\dot{y}}{\sqrt{yy-pp}}$ , therefore  $\dot{z} = \frac{py\dot{y}}{2\sqrt{yy-pp}} = \text{Area } BDd$ , and  $\dot{z} = \frac{py\dot{y}}{\sqrt{yy-pp}}$ , and thence  $z = \frac{1}{2}p\sqrt{yy-pp}$ . Now in the Point C,  $y$  is a Minimum  $=p$ . Therefore by the Schol. Prop. XII. first the Part  $ABC$  must be found, which is  $\frac{p}{2}\sqrt{AB^2-pp}$ , and then the Part  $BCD$ , which will be  $\frac{p}{2} \times \sqrt{BD^2-pp}$ .  
And

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FIG. And the whole  $ABD = \frac{p}{2} \sqrt{AB^2 - pp} + \frac{p}{2} \sqrt{BD^2 - pp}$   
or  $\frac{1}{2} AD \times CB$ .

Ex. 2.

91. Let  $ABD$  be any Parabola, where  $x = y^m$ ; then  $\dot{x} = my^{m-1} \dot{y}$ , therefore  $\dot{z} = y\dot{x} = my^m \dot{y}$ ; and  $z = \frac{m}{m+1} y^{m+1} = \frac{m}{m+1} yx$ , and if  $m = 2$ ,  $z = \frac{2}{3} xy$ .

Or thus: Let  $Ab = x$ ,  $bD = y$ ,  $x = y^{\frac{1}{m}}$ , then  $\dot{x} = \frac{1}{m} y^{\frac{1}{m}-1} \dot{y}$ , therefore  $\dot{z} = y\dot{x} = \frac{1}{m} y^{\frac{1}{m}} \dot{y}$ , and thence  $z = \frac{1}{m+1} y^{\frac{1}{m}+1} = \frac{1}{m+1} xy$ . And if  $m = 2$ ,  $z = \frac{1}{3} xy$ , the Area  $AbD$ .

Ex. 3.

95. Let  $FD$  be an Hyperbola,  $CA = a$ ,  $AF = b$ ,  $AB = x$ ,  $BD = \frac{ab}{a+x} = y$ . Then  $\dot{z} = y\dot{x} = \frac{ab\dot{x}}{a+x} = \frac{bx\dot{x}}{a+x} = \frac{bx\dot{x}}{a} + \frac{bx^2\dot{x}}{aa} - \frac{bx^3\dot{x}}{a^3} \&c$ , and the Area  $ABDF$  or  $z = bx - \frac{bx^2}{2a} + \frac{bx^3}{3aa} - \frac{bx^4}{4a^3} + \frac{bx^5}{5a^4} - \&c$ .  
Or (by Form the 4th) the Fluent (corrected) is  $z = 2.302585ab \times \text{Log.} \frac{a+x}{a}$ .

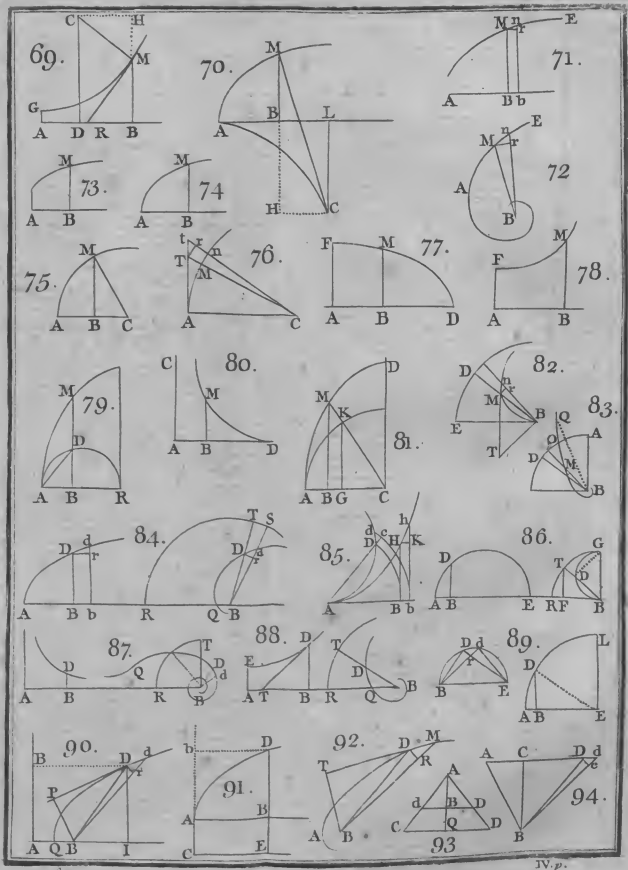
Ex. 4.

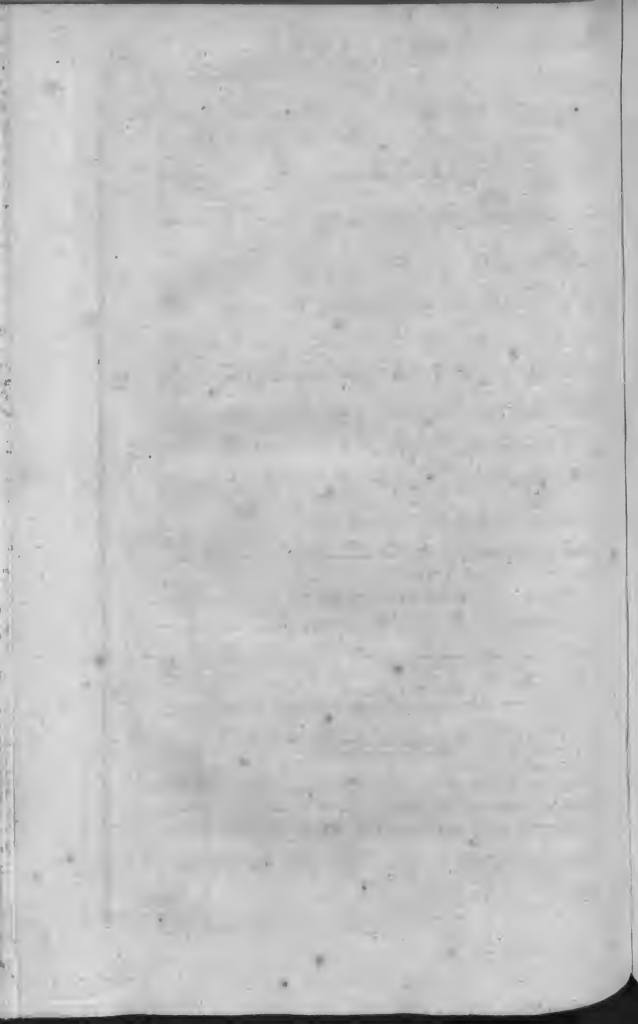
95. Let  $FD$  be any kind of Hyperbola,  $CB = x$ ,  $BD = y$ , and suppose  $y = \frac{1}{x^n}$ , then  $\dot{z} = y\dot{x} = x^{-n} \dot{x}$ ; and the Area  $z = \frac{1}{1-n} x^{1-n} = \frac{1}{1-n} xy$ , for the Area  $CBF$ .

If the Angle  $ABD$  is oblique, that Area must be diminished in the Ratio of Radius to the Sine of  $ABD$ .

If  $n = 1$  the Space will be infinite, if  $n$  be greater than 1, you get the Space  $BDE$ .

Ex. 5.







Ex. 5.

Let  $AD$  be a Circle,  $AC=a$ ,  $AB=x$ ,  $BD=y=\sqrt{ax-xx}$ , then  $\dot{z}=y\dot{x}=\dot{x}\sqrt{ax-xx}$ , whose Fluent 96.

(by Form 16th) is  $z=\sqrt{ax}x:\frac{x^2}{5a}-\frac{x^3}{4.7a^2}$   
 $-\frac{1.3x^4}{4.6.9a^3}-\frac{3.5.x^5}{4.6.8.11a^4}\mathcal{E}c=\frac{2x\sqrt{ax}}{3}$   
 $\frac{\frac{x}{2a}A}{5}+\frac{\frac{x}{4a}B}{7}+\frac{\frac{3x}{6a}C}{9}+\frac{\frac{5x}{8a}D}{11}\mathcal{E}c$ ; where  
 $A, B, C, \mathcal{E}c$ , are the preceding Numerators. Or  
 (by Form 10th, 11th, 13th)  $z=\frac{aa}{8}\phi+\frac{2x-a}{4}$   
 $\sqrt{ax-xx}$  (putting  $\phi=,01745\times$  twice the Degrees in  
 the Arch whose Sine is  $\sqrt{\frac{x}{a}}$ , and Radius 1.)

If  $AD$  be  $60^\circ$ , then  $x=\frac{1}{2}a$ , and Area  $ABD=\frac{1}{12}aa$   
 $-\frac{3}{2.4.5}A+\frac{1.5}{4.4.7}B+\frac{3.7}{6.4.9}C+\frac{5.9}{8.4.11}D$ ,  
 to which adding the Triangle  $DBE=\frac{aa}{32}\sqrt{3}$ , you  
 have  $\frac{1}{6}$  the Area of the Circle. Here  $A, B, C, \mathcal{E}c$ ,  
 are the preceding Terms.

If  $y=\sqrt{ax+xx}$  be an Equation to a right-angled  
 Hyperbola, we shall in like manner find  $z=\sqrt{ax}x:$

$$\frac{x^2}{5a}-\frac{x^3}{4.7aa}+\frac{3.x^4}{4.6.9a^3}-\frac{3.5x^5}{4.6.8.11a^4}$$

$$+\mathcal{E}c, \text{ or } z=\frac{a+2x}{4}\sqrt{ax+xx}-\frac{aa}{8}\phi, \text{ where } \phi=$$

$$2.30258 \text{ Log. } \frac{a+2x+2\sqrt{ax+xx}}{a}.$$

Likewise the Area of an Ellipsis is found after the  
 same manner as the Circle. Or if you put  $c$  for the  
 Conjugate, it is no more than multiplying the former

Area of the Circle by  $\frac{c}{a}$ . And thus  $\frac{c}{a}$  multiplied

B b

into

FIG. into the former Area of the Hyperbola, gives the Area of the Hyperbola whose Conjugate is  $c$ .

Ex. 6.

97. In the Ellipsis FDE, to find the Area adjoining to the Center A. Let  $AE=a$ ,  $AF=c$ ,  $AB=x$ ,  $BD=y$ , then  $y = \frac{c}{a}\sqrt{aa-xx}$ , by the Nature of the Figure; then  $\dot{z} = y\dot{x} = \frac{c\dot{x}}{a}\sqrt{aa-xx}$ , whence (by Form 16th)
- $$z = \frac{cx}{1} - \frac{\frac{xx}{2aa}A}{3} + \frac{\frac{xxx}{4aa}C}{5} + \frac{\frac{3xxx}{6aa}D}{7} + \frac{\frac{5xxx}{8aa}E}{9}$$
- Ex. for the Area ABDF. Or  $z = \frac{ca\phi}{2} + \frac{cx}{2a}\sqrt{aa-xx}$ , putting  $\phi = .017453 \times \text{Degrees}$  in the Arch whose Sine is  $\frac{x}{a}$ , and Radius 1.

98. After the same Manner in the Hyperbola, when
- $$y = \frac{c}{a}\sqrt{aa+xx}, \text{ we find } z = \frac{cx}{1} + \frac{\frac{xx}{2aa}A}{3} - \frac{\frac{xxx}{4aa}B}{5} - \frac{\frac{3xxx}{6aa}C}{7} - \frac{\frac{5xxx}{8aa}D}{9} \text{ Ex. } z = \frac{ca\phi}{2} + \frac{cx}{2a}\sqrt{aa+xx}, \text{ putting } \phi = 2.30258 \text{ Log. } \frac{x+\sqrt{aa+xx}}{a}.$$

Ex. 7.

99. To find the Area ADB of the Ellipsis ADE, generated by the Line BD revolving round the focus B. Let  $2a = \text{Transverse } AE$ ,  $2c = \text{Conjugate}$ ,  $BD=y$ , draw the Tangent DT and BT perpendicular to it; then by the conic Sections  $BT = \frac{cy}{\sqrt{2ay-yy}}$ , whence
- $$DT = \frac{y\sqrt{2ay-yy-cc}}{\sqrt{2ay-yy}}. \text{ And by similar Triangles}$$
- $$DT : TB :: MR : RD, \text{ that is } \sqrt{2ay-yy-cc} : c :: y$$

$$\dot{y} : \dot{z} = \frac{cy}{\sqrt{2ay - yy - cc}}; \text{ whence } \dot{z} = \frac{y\dot{x}}{2} = \text{FIG.}$$

$$\frac{cy\dot{y}}{2\sqrt{-cc + 2ay - yy}}: \text{ Put } v = a - y, p = aa - cc;$$

$$\text{and (by Form 27th)} \dot{z} = \frac{cv\dot{v}}{2\sqrt{p - vv}} - \frac{cav}{2\sqrt{p - vv}};$$

$$\text{whence (by Forms 3d and 8th)} z = \frac{-c}{2}\sqrt{y - vv} -$$

$$\frac{ca}{2} \times ,01745 \text{ Degrees in the Arch whose Sine is } \sqrt{\frac{vv}{p}},$$

but when  $z=0$ ,  $y=a - \sqrt{p}$ , therefore correcting the Fluent, and putting  $\phi$  = Number of Degrees

in the Arch whose Co-sine is  $\frac{a-y}{\sqrt{aa - cc}}$ , and Ra-

dus 1, then we have the Area  $BAD$  or  $z =$

$$\frac{,0174533ca\phi}{2} - \frac{c}{2}\sqrt{-cc + 2ay - yy}. \text{ And the Area}$$

$$\text{of the Semi-ellipsis } AME = ,01745ca \times 90 = \frac{1}{2}ca \times 3.141592.$$

Ex. 8.

To find the parabolic Area  $BAD$ , generated by the 100.  
line  $BD$  revolving round the Focus  $B$ .

Let  $a$  = Latus Rectum,  $BD=y$ ; by the Nature of the Parabola the perpendicular  $BT = \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{ay} = p$ , and by similar Triangles  $DT : DB :: MR : MD$ , or

$$\sqrt{yy - \frac{1}{4}ay} : y :: \dot{y} : \dot{v} = \frac{y\dot{y}}{\sqrt{yy - \frac{1}{4}ay}}; \text{ whence } \dot{z} =$$

$$\frac{p\dot{v}}{2} = \frac{\sqrt{a}}{4} \times \frac{y\dot{y}}{\sqrt{y - \frac{1}{4}a}}; \text{ and (by Form 4th and 11th)}$$

$$\text{the Fluent } z = \frac{a+2y}{12}\sqrt{ay - \frac{1}{4}aa}.$$

Ex. 9.

Let  $AD$  be an Hyperbola,  $B$  the Center,  $BA=a$ , 101.  
Semi-conjugate  $=b$ ,  $BC=x$ , Tangent  $AT=t$ , Or-  
dinate  $CD=y$ ; by similar Triangles  $ay=tx$ , and by  
the Nature of the Figure  $bbxx - bbaa = aayy = ttxx$ , and

B b 2

xx

FIG.  $xx = \frac{bbaa}{bb-tt}$ . The fluxionary triangle  $Bti$  is to the fluxionary triangle  $BDD$ , as  $BT^2$  to  $BD^2$  or  $aa$  to  $xx$ , that is  $\frac{at}{2} : \dot{z} :: aa : \frac{bbaa}{bb-tt} :: bb-tt : bb$ ; whence  $\dot{z} = \frac{\frac{1}{2}bba\dot{t}}{bb-tt}$ , and the Fluent  $z = \frac{at}{2} + \frac{at^3}{6bb} + \frac{at^5}{10b^4} + \frac{at^7}{14b^6} \&c$ : Or (by Form the 6th) the Fluent  $z = \frac{1}{4}ab \times 2.30258 \text{ Log. } \frac{b+t}{b-t}$ , for the hyperbolic Sector  $BAD$ .

Or thus: Since  $t = (\frac{ay}{x} = \frac{ay}{\sqrt{aa + \frac{aa}{bb}yy}} = )$   
 $\frac{by}{\sqrt{bb+yy}}$ , therefore  $\dot{t} = \frac{b\dot{y}}{(bb+yy)^{\frac{3}{2}}}$ , therefore  $\dot{z} = (\frac{\frac{1}{2}abb\dot{t}}{bb-tt} = ) \frac{ab\dot{y}}{2\sqrt{bb+yy}}$ ; and the Fluent  $z = \sqrt{bb+yy} \times \frac{ay}{2b} - \frac{2yy}{3bb} A - \frac{4yy}{5bb} B - \frac{6yy}{7bb} C \&c$ , by Form the 15th. Or (by Form the 9th)  $z = \frac{1}{4}ab \times 2.30258 \times \text{Log. } \frac{y+\sqrt{bb+yy}}{b} = \text{Sector } BAD$ .

Ex. 10.

102. Let  $RD$  be the Logarithmic Curve,  $AB=x$ ,  $BD=y$ ,  $AR=b$ , Subtangent  $=a$ , by similar Triangles  $ay = yx = \dot{z}$ , whence  $z = ay$ , and (corrected) Area  $ABDR = ay - ab$ .

Ex. 11.

103. Let  $AD$  be the Cissoïd of Diocles,  $AE=a$ ,  $AB=x$ ,  $BD=y$ , by the Nature of the Curve  $y = \frac{x^{\frac{1}{2}}}{\sqrt{a-x}}$ ; therefore  $\dot{z} = y\dot{x} = x^{\frac{3}{2}}\dot{x} \times a-x^{-\frac{1}{2}}$ , and the Fluent (by Form the 10th and 11th) is  $z = 3 \text{ Sectors } CAM - \frac{3}{4}a - \frac{1}{2}x\sqrt{ax-xx}$ , that is  $z = 3 \text{ AMB} - 2x\sqrt{ax-xx}$ .

Ex. 12.

Ex. 12.

Let  $ED$  be the Conchoid of Nichomedes,  $CA=b$ ,  $AE$  FIG. 104.  
 $=a$ ,  $AB=x$ ,  $BD=y$ ; the Equation of the Curve is  
 $b+y\sqrt{aa-yy}=xy$ , in Fluxions  $y\dot{\sqrt{aa-yy}} - \dot{b} + y\dot{x}$

$$y\dot{y} \times \frac{a-y}{\sqrt{aa-yy}} = x\dot{y} + y\dot{x}, \text{ therefore } \dot{z} = y\dot{x} = y\dot{\sqrt{aa-yy}}$$

$$- y\dot{y} \times \frac{b+y}{\sqrt{aa-yy}} (-x\dot{y}) = - \frac{b+y}{y} \dot{y} \sqrt{aa-yy} =$$

$$\frac{-y^2\dot{y}}{\sqrt{aa-yy}} - \frac{baa\dot{y}}{y\sqrt{aa-yy}} = \frac{-y^2\dot{y}}{\sqrt{aa-yy}} -$$

$$\frac{ba^2y^2\dot{y}}{\sqrt{-1+a^2y^2}}; \text{ whose corrected Fluent (by Form 10 and$$

11, and Form 9th) is  $z = \frac{1}{2}y\sqrt{aa-yy} + 2.30258ab \times$

$$\text{Log. } \frac{a + \sqrt{aa-yy}}{y} + .017453 \text{ Degrees in the Arch}$$

whose Co-sine is  $\frac{y}{a}$  Radius  $= 1$ .

Ex. 13.

Let  $AD$  be the Cycloid,  $AB=x$ ,  $BD=y$ ,  $AE=2r$ , FIG. 105.  
 $FC=u$ , Arch  $AC=v$ ; by the Nature of the Circle

$$2ry-yy=uu, \text{ and } \dot{u} = \frac{r\dot{y}-y\dot{y}}{u}; \text{ and } \dot{v} = \frac{r\dot{y}}{u}:$$

And by the Nature of the Cycloid  $x=v+u$ , and

$$\dot{x} = \dot{v} + \dot{u} = \frac{r\dot{y}}{u} + \frac{r\dot{y}-y\dot{y}}{u} = \frac{2r\dot{y}-y\dot{y}}{\sqrt{2ry-yy}};$$

whence  $\dot{z} = y\dot{x} = \frac{2ry-yy}{\sqrt{2ry-yy}}\dot{y} = \dot{y}\sqrt{2ry-yy}$ , but this

is the Fluxion of the Area  $AFC$ , therefore  $z$  or  $ABD$   
 $= AFC$ .

Ex. 14.

Let  $AD$  be the Quadratrix,  $AB=x$ ,  $BD=y$ , then FIG. 106.

$$\text{(by the Process in Ex. 11. Prob. VIII.) } \dot{x} = \frac{2y\dot{y}}{3a} +$$

$$\frac{4y^3\dot{y}}{45a^3} + \frac{4y^5\dot{y}}{315a^5} + \dots; \text{ whence } \dot{z} = y\dot{x} = \frac{2y^2\dot{y}}{3a} +$$

FIG.  $+\frac{4y^4\dot{y}}{45a^3} + \frac{4y^6\dot{y}}{315a^5} \mathcal{E}c$ ; whence  $z = \frac{2y^3}{9a} + \frac{4y^5}{225a^3}$   
 $+\frac{4y^7}{2205a^5} + \mathcal{E}c.$

Ex. 15.

107. Let  $AD$  be the Catenary  $AB=x$ ,  $BD=y$ , Curve  $AD=v$ , the Equation of the Curve is  $vv=2ay+y\dot{y}$ , whence  $v\dot{v}=a\dot{y}+y\dot{y}$ , and  $v^2\dot{v}^2=\overline{a+y}^2.\dot{y}^2$ , or  $\overline{a+y}^2 \times \dot{v}^2 - a^2\dot{v}^2 = \overline{a+y}^2 \times \dot{v}^2 - \dot{x}^2$ , whence  $a\dot{v} = \overline{a+y} \times \dot{x}$ ; therefore  $\dot{z} = y\dot{x} = a\dot{v} - ax$ , and  $z = av - ax$ .

Ex. 16.

108. Let  $AD$  be such a mechanical Curve, that the Ordinate  $FD =$  Arch  $AC$  of the Parabola, whose Equation is  $ry=uu$ , putting  $AB=x$ ,  $BD$  or  $AF=y$ ,  $FC=u$ , Arch  $AC=v$ . Then  $v=\dot{x}$ , and  $\dot{x}=\dot{v}=(\sqrt{\dot{y}^2+\dot{u}^2})=y^{-\frac{1}{2}}\dot{y}\sqrt{\frac{1}{4}r+y}$ . Then  $\dot{z}=y\dot{x}=y\dot{v}=y^{\frac{1}{2}}\dot{y}\sqrt{\frac{1}{4}r+y}$ . But  $v =$  Fluent of  $y^{-\frac{1}{2}}\dot{y}\sqrt{\frac{1}{4}r+y}$  (by Prob. VIII.) therefore by Form 11th,  $z = \frac{1}{3}r + \frac{1}{2}y\sqrt{2ay+y\dot{y}} - \frac{rv}{16}$ .

Ex. 17.

109. Let  $AD$  be a Circle, to find the Area  $ABD$ , extremely near the Vertex. Let Radius  $CA=a$ ,  $AB=x$ ,  $BD=y$ , then  $\dot{z}=y\dot{x}=\dot{x}\sqrt{2ax-xx}$ ; but in  $A$ ,  $\sqrt{2ax-xx}=\sqrt{2ax}$ : therefore (by Cor. 3. Prop. II.)  $\dot{z}=y\dot{x}=\dot{x}\sqrt{2ax}$ ; and the Area  $z=\frac{2}{3}x\sqrt{ax}=\frac{2}{3}xy$ , the Area in the very Vertex of the Figure.

COR. After the same Manner in all Curves of a finite Curvature, the Area of the Segment extremely near the Vertex is  $\frac{2}{3}$  the Base into the Height.

Ex. 18.

Let the Equation of a Curve be  $y = \frac{ax^r + bx^s + dx^t}{fx^w + gx^v}$ ,  
 to find the Area of an extremely small Part of the Figure,  
 when

when  $x=c$ . Here  $\dot{z} = y\dot{x} = \frac{(ac^r + bc^s + dc^t)^m}{fc^v + gc^{w1}} \times \dot{x}$  FIG.

(by Cor. 3. Prop. II.) therefore  $z = \frac{(ac^r + bc^s + dc^t)^m}{fc^v + gc^{w1}} \times \dot{x}$ .

Where  $\dot{x}$  is a very small Part of the Abscissa.

COR. Hence the Area of any compound Curve may be nearly found, by finding, after this Manner, all the Parts of the Area belonging to the several small Parts of the Abscissa, and collecting them into one Sum.

Ex. 19.

Let  $BDM$  be Archimedes's Spiral,  $AB=r$ , Arch  $AC$  110.  
 $=v$ ,  $BD=y$ , by the Nature of the Figure  $rv=cy$ ,

whence  $\dot{v} = \frac{cy\dot{y}}{r}$ , and by similar Triangles  $\dot{v} =$

$\frac{r\dot{x}}{y}$ , whence  $\dot{x} = \frac{cy\dot{y}}{rr}$ ; therefore  $\dot{z} = \frac{cy\dot{y}y}{2rr}$ ; and

thence the Area  $BED$  or  $z = \frac{cy^3}{6rr}$ .

Ex. 20.

Let  $QDC$  be the reciprocal Spiral, Radius  $AB=a$ , 111.  
 Arch  $AC=b$ , Arch  $AP=v$ ,  $BD=y$ ; the Nature of  
 the Curve gives  $ab=vy$ , whence  $v\dot{y} + y\dot{v} = 0$ , and  $\dot{v} =$

$\frac{-v\dot{y}}{y}$ , and by similar Triangles  $\dot{v} = \frac{a\dot{x}}{y}$ , whence

$\dot{x} = \frac{-v\dot{y}}{a}$ , therefore  $\dot{z} = \frac{y\dot{x}}{2} = \frac{-vy\dot{y}}{2a} = \frac{-ab\dot{y}}{2a}$

$= \frac{-b\dot{y}}{2}$ , and  $z = \frac{-by}{2}$ ; and when corrected,

the Area  $BCD$  or  $z = b \times \frac{BC-BD}{2}$ .

Ex. 21.

EX. 21.

FIG. Let  $QDC$  be the proportional Spiral, whose Nature  
 111. is  $b\dot{y} = c\dot{x}$ , or  $\dot{x} = \frac{b\dot{y}}{c}$ , therefore  $\dot{z} = \frac{y\dot{x}}{2} = \frac{by\dot{y}}{2c}$   
 and  $z$  or the Area  $BQD = \frac{by^2}{4c}$ .

EX. 22.

112. Let  $BED$  be a kind of Spiral,  $BD=y$ , Arch  $AD$   
 (whose Center is  $B$ )  $=v$ , and let its Nature be ex-  
 pressed by this Equation  $av^2=y^3$ , or  $y=a^{\frac{1}{3}}v^{\frac{2}{3}}$ , and  $\dot{y}$   
 $=\frac{2}{3}a^{\frac{1}{3}}v^{-\frac{1}{3}}\dot{v}$ , whence  $\dot{z} = v\dot{y} = \frac{2}{3}a^{\frac{1}{3}}v^{\frac{2}{3}}\dot{v}$ , and the A-  
 rea  $z = \frac{2}{5}a^{\frac{1}{3}}v^{\frac{5}{3}} = \frac{2}{5}vy$  for the Area  $ABED$ .

## SCHOLIUM.

It may not be improper, in this Place, to insert  
 (from the Transactions) a general Method for deter-  
 mining the Quadratures of Curves, with it's Investi-  
 gation.

Let the Equation of a Curve be  $y^m + ax^n + by^p x^q +$   
 $cy^r x^s + dy^t x^u + \text{etc} = 0$ . And it's Area  $Ayx + By^l x^f +$   
 $Cy^g x^b + Dy^i x^k + \text{etc} = \text{Fluent of } y\dot{x}$ . Put these two  
 Equations into Fluxions, and make the two values of  
 $\dot{y}$  equal to each other (expunging  $y^{m-1}$  by the Equation  
 of the Curve) and we have  $\frac{anx^{n-1} + bqy^p x^{q-1} + csy^r x^{s-1} + \text{etc}}{-max^{n-1} + \frac{p}{-m}by^{p-1}x^q + \frac{r}{-m}cy^{r-1}x^s + \text{etc}}$   
 $= \frac{\frac{A}{-1}y + fBy^l x^{f-1} + bCy^g x^{b-1} + \text{etc}}{Ax + lBy^{l-1}x^f + gCy^{g-1}x^b + \text{etc}}$ ; and multiply-  
 ing the Numerators and Denominators alternately,  
 there arises,

an  $Ax^m$



$$\left. \begin{aligned}
 anAx^n + bqAy^p x^q + csAy^r x^s \\
 + anlBy^{l-1} x^{f+n-1} + lbqBy^{p+l-1} x^{f+q-1} \\
 + ganCy^{g-1} x^{b+n-1}
 \end{aligned} \right\} \mathcal{E}c =$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned}
 \overline{1-A} \cdot \overline{max^n} + \overline{1-A} x^m \overline{-p} by^p x^q + \overline{1-A} x^m \overline{-r} cy^r x^s \\
 - mafBy^{l-1} x^{f+n-1} + \overline{-m} b f By^{p+l-1} x^{f+q-1} \\
 + mabCy^{g-1} x^{b+n-1}
 \end{aligned} \right\} \mathcal{E}c.$$

Now for determining the Indices, compare the homologous Terms. Thus  $p=l-1$ , whence  $l=p+1$ . Again  $r=p+l-1=g-1$ , and thence  $r=2p$ , and  $g=2p+1$ . After the same Manner  $t=3p$ ,  $i=3p+1$ . Put  $e+n=q$ , and then  $f=e+1$ ,  $s=2e+n$ ,  $b=2e+1$ ,  $u=3e+n$ ,  $k=3e+1$ ,  $\mathcal{E}c$ . Therefore the Equation of the Curve will be in this Form,  $y^m + ax^n + by^p x^{e+n} + cy^{2p} x^{2e+n} + dy^{3p} x^{3e+n} \mathcal{E}c = 0$ , and it's Quadrature  $Ayx + By^{p+1} x^{e+1} + Cy^{2p+1} x^{2e+1} + Dy^{3p+1} x^{3e+1} \mathcal{E}c =$  Fluent of  $yx$ .

Next for determining the Coefficients  $A, B, C, \mathcal{E}c$ . Put the Coefficients of the homologous Powers of  $x$  equal to each other, thus  $anA = 1 - A \cdot ma$ , whence

$$A = \frac{m}{m+n}. \quad \text{After the same Manner } B =$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned}
 \frac{m-p}{p-m-e-n \times A} \\
 + \frac{m-2p \times c}{2p-2e-m-n \times c A} \\
 : + \frac{m-p \times e + 1 + e + n \times p + 1 \times -bB}{\mathcal{E}c}
 \end{aligned} \right\} X \frac{b}{am \times e + 1 + an \times p + 1}, C =$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned}
 \frac{1}{ax : m \times 2e + 1 + n \times 2p + 1 :}
 \end{aligned} \right\} X$$

Hence therefore if  $y^m + ax^n + by^p x^{e+n} + cy^{2p} x^{2e+n} + dy^{3p} x^{3e+n} \mathcal{E}c = 0$ , then the Fluent of  $yx$ , or the Area of that Curve is,

$$+ \frac{m}{m+n} yx.$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& \left. \begin{aligned}
& + \frac{m-p \times b}{p-m-e-n \times A b} \\
& + \frac{m-2p \times c}{2p-2e-m-n \times c A} \\
& + \frac{m-3p \times d}{3p-3e-m-n \times d A} \\
& + \frac{m-4p \times e}{4p-4e-m-n \times e A}
\end{aligned} \right\} \times \frac{y^{p+1} x^{e+1}}{a m x e+1+a n x p+1} \\
& \left. \begin{aligned}
& + \frac{m-p \times c+1}{m-p \times c+1} + \frac{e+n \times p+1}{e+n \times p+1} : x-b B \\
& + \frac{m-2p \times e+1}{m-2p \times e+1} + \frac{2e+n \times p+1}{2e+n \times p+1} : x-c B \\
& + \frac{m-3p \times e+1}{m-3p \times e+1} + \frac{3e+n \times p+1}{3e+n \times p+1} : x-d B \\
& + \frac{m-2p \times 2e+1}{m-2p \times 2e+1} + \frac{2e+n \times 2p+1}{2e+n \times 2p+1} : x-c C \\
& + \frac{m-p \times 3e+1}{m-p \times 3e+1} + \frac{e+n \times 3p+1}{e+n \times 3p+1} : x-b D
\end{aligned} \right\} \times \frac{y^{2p+1} x^{2e+1}}{a m \times 2e+1+a n \times 2p+1} \\
& \left. \begin{aligned}
& + \frac{m-2p \times e+1}{m-2p \times e+1} + \frac{2e+n \times p+1}{2e+n \times p+1} : x-c B \\
& + \frac{m-3p \times e+1}{m-3p \times e+1} + \frac{3e+n \times p+1}{3e+n \times p+1} : x-d B \\
& + \frac{m-2p \times 2e+1}{m-2p \times 2e+1} + \frac{2e+n \times 2p+1}{2e+n \times 2p+1} : x-c C \\
& + \frac{m-p \times 3e+1}{m-p \times 3e+1} + \frac{e+n \times 3p+1}{e+n \times 3p+1} : x-b D
\end{aligned} \right\} \times \frac{y^{3p+1} x^{3e+1}}{a m \times 3e+1+a n \times 3p+1} \\
& \left. \begin{aligned}
& + \frac{m-4p \times e}{4p-4e-m-n \times e A} \\
& + \frac{m-3p \times e+1}{m-3p \times e+1} + \frac{3e+n \times p+1}{3e+n \times p+1} : x-d B \\
& + \frac{m-2p \times 2e+1}{m-2p \times 2e+1} + \frac{2e+n \times 2p+1}{2e+n \times 2p+1} : x-c C \\
& + \frac{m-p \times 3e+1}{m-p \times 3e+1} + \frac{e+n \times 3p+1}{e+n \times 3p+1} : x-b D
\end{aligned} \right\} \times \frac{y^{4p+1} x^{4e+1}}{m a \times 4e+1+n a \times 4p+1}
\end{aligned}$$

1. Here note,  $A, B, C, D, \&c$ , represent the first, second, third, fourth  $\&c$  Terms, only leaving out the Powers of  $x$  and  $y$ .

2. This Series sometimes gives the Quadrature of a Curve in finite Terms; particularly in Trinomials (that is whose Equation consists of three Terms) when  $\frac{e-p+m+n}{-em-pn}$  is a positive whole Number; to which add 1, and you have the Number of Terms in the Series.

3. But in Curves of more Terms, there are several Conditions requisite to their exact Quadrability, which it is needless to enumerate, because such Curves seldom admit of an exact Quadrature. It is sufficient to observe, that if  $N$  = Number of Terms in the Equation of the Curve, they will sometimes admit of such a Quadrature when  $\frac{Ne-2e+2p-Np+m+n}{-em-pn} + 1$  is a positive whole Number, but never else; which Num-  
ber

ber will then shew the Number of Terms in the Series, that constitutes the Area.

4. When the Quadrature of a Curve is required by this Series; reduce the Equation of the Curve to the preceding Form, and comparing the homologous Terms, the Exponents and Coefficients will be easily determined; which must be substituted into the foregoing general Series, as usual. And when any particular Terms are wanting in the given Equation, then the respective Coefficients will be 0, and those Terms of the Series wherein they are found will vanish.

5. And we must first of all enquire, whether it will admit of an exact or geometrical Quadrature, and if it will not admit of it in one Form, it may in another. To this Purpose we must divide the whole Equation by some Powers of  $x$  and  $y$ ; so that in the resulting Equation, there may always be one Term without  $x$  and another without  $y$ ; for this Condition is absolutely necessary to the Equation; and thus you will have a new Form: And this we must do as often as possible. Now the Number of different Forms any Equation will admit of is  $m-n$ , putting  $N$  = Number of Terms in the Equation.

6. If it admit of such Quadrature in none of these Forms, try to find the Complement of the Area, by writing  $x$  for  $y$  and  $y$  for  $x$  in the Equation of the Curve; and then proceeding with the new Equation in all Respects as before.

Example 1.

Let  $y^3 + x^3 - byx = 0$ . Here  $m=3$ ,  $n=3$ ,  $p=1$ ,  $e=-2$ ,  $a=1$ ,  $b=-b$ , and  $\frac{e-p+m+n}{-em-pn} = 1$ ; whence the Curve is geometrically quadrable, and the Area  $= \frac{1}{2}xy - \frac{y^2b}{6x}$ .

Ex. 2.

Suppose  $y^{\frac{5}{2}} - ax^{\frac{1}{2}} + ry^{\frac{3}{2}}x^{\frac{3}{2}} = 0$ . Here  $m=\frac{5}{2}$ ,  $n=\frac{1}{2}$ ,  
Cc 2  $a=$

FIG.  $a = -a$ ,  $b = r$ ,  $p = 7$ ,  $e = \frac{1}{4}$ : then  $\frac{e-p+m+n}{-em-pn} = 1$ ;  
and the Area  $= \frac{2}{3}xy + \frac{8r}{23a}y^3x^{\frac{2}{3}}$ .

Ex. 3.

Let  $y^2 - \frac{4g^2}{b}x^6 + \frac{g}{b}y^2x^4 = 0$ ; here the Curve  
is not quadrable in this Form, therefore divide by  $y^2$ ,  
and then  $1 + \frac{g}{b}x^4 - \frac{4g^2}{b}y^{-2}x^6 = 0$ , where  $m = 0$ ,  
 $n = 4$ ,  $p = -2$ ,  $e = 2$ ,  $a = \frac{g}{b}$ ,  $b = -\frac{4g^2}{b}$ , and  
 $\frac{e-p+m+n}{-em-pn} = 1$ ; whence the Area  $= \frac{2gx^3}{y}$ .

Ex. 4.

Let  $y^2 - ax^3 - 2ay^3x - ay^6x^3 = 0$ , here  $m = 2$ ,  
 $n = -1$ ,  $a = -a$ ,  $b = -2a$ ,  $c = -a$ ,  $p = 3$ ,  $e = 2$ ,  
whence  $\frac{2e-2p+m+n}{-em-pn} = 1$ ; and the Area of the  
Figure is  $= 2xy - \frac{2}{3}x^3y^4$ : For all the following Terms  
of the Series will be nothing.

## PROB. XI.

To find any Number of Curves that may be squared.

113. Let the Abscissa  $AB = x$ , Ordinate  $BD = y$ , Area  
 $ABD = z$ . Assume any Equation between  $x$  and  $z$ , this  
will determine the Area: From that Equation get  $\dot{z}$ ,  
and substitute it's value in the Equation  $z = yx$ , and this  
will give the Nature of the Curve.

Ex. 1. Let  $x^2 = z$ , whence  $2x\dot{x} = \dot{z} = y\dot{x}$ , whence  
 $y = 2x$ , and the Figure is a Triangle.

Ex. 2.

Ex. 2. Let  $ax^3=z^2$ , and  $\dot{z} = \frac{1}{2}a^{\frac{1}{2}}x^{\frac{1}{2}}\dot{x} = y\dot{x}$ , whence  $\frac{1}{2}\sqrt{ax} = y$ , an Equation to a Parabola.

Likewise if  $x^3=az$ , then  $\frac{3x^2\dot{x}}{a} = \dot{z} = y\dot{x}$ ; whence  $3x^2=ay$ , an Equation again to the Parabola.

Ex. 3. Let  $\frac{a^6}{xx} = z^2$ , whence  $-\frac{a^3}{xx}\dot{x} = \dot{z} = y\dot{x}$ ; therefore  $-\frac{a^3}{xx} = y$ , whence  $y$  being negative lyes on the other Side of  $AB$ .

Ex. 4. Let  $ccaa + ccxx = zz$ , or  $z = c\sqrt{aa + xx}$ , then  $\dot{z} = \frac{cx\dot{x}}{\sqrt{aa+xx}} = y\dot{x}$ ; therefore  $y = \frac{cx}{\sqrt{aa+xx}}$ .

Ex. 5. If  $\frac{aa + xx}{b}^{\frac{1}{2}} = z$ , then  $\dot{z} = \frac{3x\dot{x}}{b\sqrt{aa+xx}} = y\dot{x}$ , and therefore  $y = \frac{3x}{b}\sqrt{aa+xx}$ .

Ex. 6. Assume  $b - 3xz + \frac{2}{3}z = z^2$ , then  $\frac{2}{3}\dot{z} - 3x\dot{z} - 3z\dot{x} = 2z\dot{z}$ , and  $\dot{z} = \frac{3z\dot{x}}{\frac{2}{3} - 3x - 2z} = y\dot{x}$ ; therefore  $y =$

$\frac{3z}{\frac{2}{3} - 3x - 2z}$ , out of which  $z$  may be expunged by Help of the assumed Equation.

Ex. 7. Let  $e + f\dot{x}^n)^m = z$ , then  $\dot{z} = mnf\dot{x}^{n-1}\dot{x} \times \frac{1}{e + f\dot{x}^n)^{m-1}} = y\dot{x}$ ; whence  $y = mnf\dot{x}^{n-1} \times \frac{1}{e + f\dot{x}^n)^{m-1}}$ .

## PROB. XII.

FIG. Any Curve  $ABD$  being given; to find any Number of Curves  $ACE$  whose Areas shall have any assigned relation to the Area of the given Curve.

114. Let  $ADF$  be any Curve referred to an Axis, or  
 115.  $ADF$  any mechanical Curve, whose Complement is  
 116.  $ABD$ ; or  $ADH$  any Spiral described by the Arch  
 117.  $BD$ , whose Center is  $A$ .  $ACE$  the Curve required, whose Relation to the first is given.

Put  $AB=x$ ,  $BD=y$ , Area  $ABD=z$ .  
 $AC=v$ ,  $CE=u$ , Area  $ACE=w$ .

Assume any two Equations, one of which may contain the Relation of the Areas  $z$ ,  $w$ ; the other the Relation of the Abscissa or Ordinate of the given Curve  $AD$  ( $x$  or  $y$ ) to the Abscissa or Ordinate ( $v$  or  $u$ ) of the other Curve  $AE$ . By Help of these two Equations, and this third  $yx=z$ , expunge all Quantities as far as possible, except  $v$  and  $u$ , out of the Equation  $uv=w$ , and you will get an Equation for the Nature of the Curve  $ACE$ : And the second assumed Equation will determine the Quantities of the Abscissas or Ordinates of the two Curves to have the required Relation.

114. Ex. 1. Let  $AD$  be a Circle whose Equation is  
 117.  $ax-xx=yy$ . Assume  $ax=vv$ , and  $z=w$ , then  $x=\frac{2vv}{a}$ ; whence  $uv=w=z=yx=\frac{2vv}{a}\sqrt{ax-xx}=\frac{2vv}{a}\sqrt{vv-\frac{v^4}{aa}}$ : therefore  $u=\frac{2vv}{aa}\sqrt{aa-vv}$ , the Equation of the Curve, whose Area is equal to that of the Circle, when  $ax=vv$ .

Ex. 2.

Ex. 2. Let  $ax - xx = yy$  as before, and  $ax + z = v$ , FIG.  
and  $z = w$ . Then  $u\dot{v} = \dot{w} = \dot{z} = y\dot{x} = \frac{\dot{v} - \dot{z}}{a}y =$  114.  
117.

$\frac{\dot{v} - u\dot{v}}{a}y$ : Whence  $u = \frac{y - uy}{a}$ , or  $u = \frac{y}{a + y}$ , an  
Equation to a mechanical Curve.

Ex. 3. Again let  $ax - xx = yy$ ,  $cx + z = w$ , and  $ax = vv$ . Then  $u\dot{v} = \dot{w} = \dot{cx} + \dot{z} = \dot{cx} + y\dot{x} =$   
 $\frac{2cv\dot{v}}{a} + \frac{2v\dot{v}}{a}\sqrt{v^2 - \frac{v^4}{aa}}$ . Whence  $u = \frac{2vv}{aa}\sqrt{aa - vv}$   
 $+ \frac{2cv}{a}$ .

Ex. 4. Let  $ax - xx = yy$  as before, and assume  $z =$   
 $\frac{2y^3}{3a} = w$ , and  $x = v$ . Then  $u\dot{v} = \dot{w} = \dot{z} = \frac{2y^2\dot{y}}{a}$   
 $= y\dot{x} - \frac{2y^2\dot{y}}{a} = \frac{2x\dot{x}}{a} \times \sqrt{ax - xx} = \frac{2v\dot{v}}{a}\sqrt{av - vv}$ ;  
hence  $u = \frac{2v}{a}\sqrt{av - vv}$ .

Ex. 5. Again let  $ax - xx = yy$ , and  $z^2 = w$ ,  $x = v^2$ .  
Then  $u\dot{v} = \dot{w} = 2z\dot{z} = 2zy\dot{x} = 4zyv\dot{v} = 4zv\dot{v}\sqrt{ax - xx} =$   
 $4zv\dot{v}\sqrt{av^2 - v^4} = 4zv^2\dot{v}\sqrt{a - v^2}$ : Hence  $u = 4zv\dot{v}$   
 $\sqrt{a - vv}$ , an Equation to a mechanical Curve.

Ex. 6. Let  $cc + xx = yy$  an Equation to an Hyper- 98.  
bola; and assume  $z = w$ ,  $xx = cv$ . Then  $u\dot{v} = \dot{w} = \dot{z}$  117.  
 $= y\dot{x} = \frac{c\dot{v}}{2\sqrt{cv}} \times \sqrt{cc + cv} = \frac{c\dot{v}}{2v}\sqrt{cv + vv}$ . Hence

$$u = \frac{c}{2v}\sqrt{cv + vv}.$$

Ex. 7. Let  $cc + xx = yy$  as before, and  $xy - z = w$ ,  
 $xx = cv$ . Then  $u\dot{v} = \dot{w} = x\dot{y} + y\dot{x} - \dot{z} = x\dot{y} =$   
 $\frac{x^2\dot{x}}{\sqrt{cc + xx}} = \frac{cv\dot{v}}{2\sqrt{cv + vv}}$ . Hence  $u = \frac{cv}{2\sqrt{cv + vv}}$ .

Ex. 8. Let  $y = \frac{xx}{\sqrt{ax - xx}}$  an Equation to the 103.  
Cissoid; and  $\frac{2x}{3}\sqrt{ax - xx} + \frac{1}{3}z = w$ , and  $x = v$ . 117.  
Then

FIG. Then  $uv = \dot{w} = \frac{2}{3}\dot{x} \times \sqrt{ax - xx} + \frac{2ax\dot{x} - 4x^2\dot{x}}{6\sqrt{ax - xx}} + \frac{1}{3}\dot{z}$   
 $= \frac{ax - xx}{\sqrt{ax - xx}} \dot{x} = \dot{x} \sqrt{ax - xx} = \dot{v} \sqrt{av - vv}$ . Hence  $u$   
 $= \sqrt{av - vv}$ , an Equation to the Circle.

114. Ex. 9. Let  $y = dx \times e + fx^n$ ; assume  $z = w$ ,  $v =$   
 117.  $e + fx^n$ , then will  $x = \frac{v^{\frac{1}{n}} - e}{f}$ , and  $\dot{x} = \frac{v^{\frac{1}{n}-1} \dot{v}}{mnf^{\frac{1}{n}}} \times$

$v^{\frac{1}{n}-1}$ ,  $y = dv \times \frac{v^{\frac{1}{n}} - e}{f}$ ; whence  $uv = \dot{w} =$

$\dot{z} = y\dot{x} = \frac{dv^{\frac{1}{n}} \dot{v}}{mnf^{\frac{1}{n}}} \times \frac{v^{\frac{1}{n}-1}}{v^{\frac{1}{n}} - e} \times \frac{r+1}{n} v^{\frac{r+1}{n}-1}$ ; therefore  $u =$   
 $\frac{dv^{\frac{1}{n}}}{mnf^{\frac{1}{n}}} \times \frac{v^{\frac{1}{n}-1}}{v^{\frac{1}{n}} - e} \times \frac{r+1}{n} v^{\frac{r+1}{n}-1}$ .

118. Ex. 10. Let  $BD$  or  $y = \text{Arch } AR$  of the Parabo-  
 117. la  $AR$ , whose Equation  $ax = ss$ , putting  $AR = p$ ,

$BR = s$ , Tangent  $TR = t$ ; then  $\dot{s} = \frac{sp}{t}$ . Now as-

sume  $z = w$ ,  $y = v$ , then will  $uv = \dot{w} = \dot{z} = y\dot{x} =$   
 $\frac{2vss}{a} = \frac{2vssp}{at} = \frac{2vx}{t} \dot{p} = \frac{2vx}{t} \dot{y} = \frac{2vx}{t} \dot{v}$ ;

consequently  $u = \frac{2vx}{t}$ , a mechanical Curve.

115. Ex. 11. Let  $AD$  be a Cycloid, Diameter of the  
 117. generating Circle  $= a$ ,  $FG = s$ . Assume  $y = v$ ,  $z = w$ ,  
 then by the Property of the Cycloid  $y\dot{x} = s\dot{y}$ : whence  
 $uv = \dot{w} = \dot{z} = y\dot{x} = s\dot{y} = s\dot{v}$ ; and therefore  $u = s$ ;  
 consequently  $AE$  is a Circle the same with  $AG$ .

Ex. 12. Let  $AD$  be a Figure of Arches, where  
 Arch  $AG = AB = x$ . Assume  $y = v$ ,  $z = w$ ; and  
 by the Property of the Circle  $\dot{x} = \frac{a\dot{y}}{2\sqrt{ay - yy}}$ ;  
 then



$$\text{then } u\dot{v} = \dot{w} = \dot{z} = y\dot{x} = \frac{av\dot{y}}{2\sqrt{ay-yy}} = \frac{av\dot{v}}{2\sqrt{av-vv}}. \quad \text{FIG.}$$

$$\text{Hence } u = \frac{av}{2\sqrt{av-vv}}.$$

Ex. 13. Let  $AD$  be the Spiral of Archimedes, 116.  
whose Equation is  $by = ax$ : And assume  $x = v$ , and 117.

$$z = w; \text{ then } u\dot{v} = \dot{w} = \dot{z} = y\dot{x} = x\dot{v} = \frac{xx}{b}\dot{v} = \frac{vv}{b}\dot{v};$$

whence  $bu = vv$ , and  $AE$  a Parabola convex towards  $AC$ .

## P.R.O.B. XIII.

To find the Surface of a Solid.

As the Fluxion of any Space is equal to the describing Line drawn into the Fluxion of the Axis; so the Fluxion of the Surface of a Solid (generated by a Line revolving about an Axis) is equal to the Periphery of that Circle drawn into the Fluxion of the Line generating that Surface. Therefore

Let the Abscissa  $AP = x$ , Ordinate  $PM = y$ , Curve 119.  
 $AM$  (or  $BM$ )  $= z$ ,  $c = 3.1416 \times 2 =$  the Circum- 120.  
ference of the Circle whose Radius is 1, then to find the 121.  
Surface  $s$  generated by the Curve  $AM$  revolving about the Axis  $AP$ ; by the Equation of the Curve expunge one of the indeterminate Quantities and it's Fluxion out of the Equation  $\dot{s} = cy\dot{z}$ , or  $cy\sqrt{x^2+y^2}$ ; and find the Fluent.

Ex. 1.

Let  $ABD$  be a right Cone,  $AB = a$ ,  $BC = b$ , then 123.  
 $y = \frac{bz}{a}$ , therefore  $\dot{s} = cy\dot{z} = \frac{cbz\dot{z}}{a}$ , and  $s = \frac{cbz^2}{2a}$   
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FIG. =  $\frac{czy}{2}$ . And the Surface of the whole Cone ABD  
 =  $\frac{c}{2} \times AB \times BC$ .

Ex. 2.

119. Let AM be a spherical Surface, Radius =  $a$ , by the Property of the Circle  $ax = yz$ ; therefore  $z = cyz = cax$ , whence  $s = cax$ .

Ex. 3.

120. Let AM be a parabolic Surface,  $ay = xx$ , then  $y = \frac{2xx}{a}$ , whence  $z = cy\sqrt{x^2 + y^2} = \frac{cx^2x}{aa}\sqrt{aa + 4xx}$ : and the Fluent (corrected) is  $s = \frac{caax + 8cx^3}{32aa}\sqrt{aa + 4xx} - \frac{ca^2}{64} \times 2.302585 \text{ Log. } \frac{2x + \sqrt{aa + 4xx}}{a}$ , found by Forms the 9th, 11th, and 13th.

Ex. 4.

119. Let  $ax^m = y^{m+1}$  be an Equation to infinite Parabolas. By the Process in Ex. 4. Prob. VIII.  $z = y\sqrt{1 + by^{\frac{2}{m}}}$ ; whence  $s = cy\sqrt{1 + by^{\frac{2}{m}}} = cy^{\frac{1}{m+1}}y\sqrt{b + y^{-\frac{2}{m}}}$ . Therefore the Fluent of  $s$  or  $cy\sqrt{1 + by^{\frac{2}{m}}}$  will be had by Form the 15th, when  $m$  is the half of any negative odd Number: And the Fluent of  $cy^{\frac{1}{m+1}}y\sqrt{b + y^{-\frac{2}{m}}}$  will be had also by Form the 15th when  $m$  is any positive whole Number. And likewise the Fluent of  $cy\sqrt{1 + by^{\frac{2}{m}}}$  will be had by Form the 11th when  $m$  is the half of an odd Number; first finding the Fluent of  $cy^{\frac{1}{m+1}}y\sqrt{1 + by^{\frac{2}{m}}}$ , by Form the 9th and 13th. In other Cases, Form the 15th or 16th will give the Fluent by infinite Series.

COR. If  $m = 1$ , then  $s = \frac{c}{12a} \times \sqrt{aa + 4yy} - \frac{caa}{12}$ .

Ex. 5.

Ex. 5.

In the elliptic Surface  $BM$ , whose Center is  $A$ , let FIG. 121.  
 $AD = a$ ,  $AB = b$ ,  $AP = x$ ,  $PM = y$ ; then  $y =$

$$\sqrt{bb - \frac{bb}{aa}xx}, \text{ and } \dot{y} = \frac{-bbx\dot{x}}{a\sqrt{aabb - bbxx}}, \text{ and } \dot{z} = \frac{bx\dot{x}}{aay} \sqrt{a^4 - aaxx + bvx} = \frac{bx\dot{x}}{aay} \sqrt{a^4 + ddxx};$$

putting  $aa \propto bb = dd$ . Therefore  $\dot{z} = cy\dot{x} = \frac{cbx\dot{x}}{aa} \sqrt{a^4 + ddxx}$ . Let  $\mathcal{Q} = .017453 \times$  Degrees in the Arch whose Sine is  $\frac{dx}{aa}$ , when  $a$  is greater than  $b$ . Or

$\mathcal{Q} = 2.30258 \text{ Log. } \frac{dx + \sqrt{a^4 + ddxx}}{aa}$ , when  $a$  is less than  $b$ . And we shall have (by Form 10th and 13th,

or by Form the 9th and 13th)  $s = \frac{cbaa}{2d} \mathcal{Q} +$

$\frac{cbx}{2aa} \sqrt{a^4 + bb - aa} \cdot x^2$ , for the Surface  $BM$  revolving round  $AP$ .

Ex. 6.

In the Hyperboloid  $BM$ , described by revolving about  $AP$ , let the Semi-conjugæ  $= b$ , Semi-transverse 124.

$AB = a$ ,  $AP = x$ ,  $PM = y$ ; then  $y = \sqrt{\frac{bbxx}{aa} - bb}$ ,

$$\dot{y} = \frac{bbx\dot{x}}{a\sqrt{xx - aa}}, \text{ and } \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} = \frac{bx\dot{x}}{aay} \sqrt{ddxx - a^4},$$

putting  $dd = aa + bb$ . Therefore  $\dot{z} = cy\sqrt{x^2 + y^2} = \frac{cbx\dot{x}}{aa} \sqrt{ddxx - a^4}$ ; whence (by Form the 9th and 13th)

$$s = \frac{cbx}{2aa} \sqrt{ddxx - a^4} - \frac{cbaa}{2d} \times 2.30258 \text{ Log. } dx +$$

$\sqrt{ddxx - a^4}$ : And the Fluent corrected,  $s = \frac{cbx}{2aa}$

$$\sqrt{ddxx - a^4} - \frac{cbb}{2} + \frac{cbaa}{2d} \times 2.3025 \text{ Log. } \frac{da + ba}{dx + \sqrt{ddx^2 - a^4}}.$$

## Ex. 7.

FIG. 124. To find the Surface described by revolving round the Conjugate AC. Here  $x = \frac{a}{b} \sqrt{bb + yy}$ , and  $\dot{x} = \frac{ay\dot{y}}{b\sqrt{bb + yy}}$ , and  $\sqrt{\dot{x}^2 + \dot{y}^2} = \dot{y} \sqrt{\frac{bb + \frac{dd}{bb} yy}{bb + yy}}$ . The Circumference described by M is  $cx$ , whence  $s = cx\dot{x} = \frac{ca}{b} \dot{y} \sqrt{bb + \frac{dd}{bb} yy}$ . And (by Forms the 9th and 13th)  $s = \frac{cay}{2b} \sqrt{bb + \frac{dd}{bb} yy} + \frac{2.302585cabb}{2d} \times \text{Log.} \frac{dy}{bb} + \sqrt{1 + \frac{ddy}{bb}}$ .

## Ex. 8.

122. In the right angled Hyperbola CM, let  $AP = x$ ,  $PM = y$ , and  $aa = xy$ , and  $\dot{y} = \frac{-y\dot{x}}{x} = \frac{-aa\dot{x}}{xx}$ , whence  $\sqrt{\dot{x}^2 + \dot{y}^2} = \frac{\dot{x}}{xx} \sqrt{a^4 + x^4}$ , and therefore  $s = cy\sqrt{\dot{x}^2 + \dot{y}^2} = \frac{caax\dot{x}}{x^3} \sqrt{a^4 + x^4} = \frac{ca^6x^{-5}\dot{x}}{\sqrt{1 + a^4x^{-4}}} + \frac{caax\dot{x}}{\sqrt{a^4 + x^4}}$ . Whence (by Forms the 3d and 9th)  $s = \frac{caa}{2} \times 2.30258 \times \text{Log.} \frac{x^2 + \sqrt{a^4 + x^4}}{x^2} - \frac{caa}{2xx} \sqrt{a^4 + x^4}$ . But in C, let  $x = a$ , and  $s = 0$ , therefore the Fluent corrected is  $s = \frac{caa}{\sqrt{2}} - \frac{caa}{2xx} \sqrt{a^4 + x^4} + \frac{caa}{2} \times 2.30258 \text{ Log.} \frac{x^2 + \sqrt{a^4 + x^4}}{aa \times 1 + \sqrt{2}}$ , for the Surface described by CM about the Asymptote AP.

## Ex. 9.

Let the Ellipsis  $Mm$  revolve round the Line  $AP$  perpendicular to the Axis  $CA$ . Let  $CA=d$ ;  $RM=Qm=z$ , then  $s=c\dot{z} \times PM + c\dot{z} \times Pm = 2cd\dot{z}$ . Whence  $s=2cd\dot{z}$ . And the whole Surface described by  $RDQ=cd \times$  Semi-periphery  $RDQ$ .

 FIG.  
125.

## Ex. 10.

To find the Surface of the Ungula of a Cylinder cut off by a Plane  $FQ$ . Let  $F$  be the Vertex,  $ADZ$  the Section made by a Circle perpendicular to the Axis;  $ED$ ,  $NI$  Perpendiculars on the Plane of the Circle  $ADZ$ ;  $DC$ ,  $IP$  Perpendiculars on  $AZ$ .

126.

Put  $CD=d$ ,  $DF=a$ , Radius of the Cylinder  $=r$ ,  $DI=z$ ,  $CP=x$ , then  $r-d+PI=\text{Cosine of } z=y$ , or  $PI=y+d-r$ ; and by the Nature of the Circle

$r\dot{x}=y\dot{z}$ , and by similar Triangles  $NI=\frac{a}{d} \times y+d-r$ ;

but  $s=NI \times \dot{z}=\frac{a\dot{z}}{d} \times y+d-r=\frac{ar\dot{x}}{d} + \frac{a\dot{z}}{d} \times$

$d-r$ : Whence  $s=\frac{arx}{d} + \frac{az}{d} \times d-r$ ; and

the whole Surface  $ZFADZ=a \times ADZ - \frac{ar}{d}$

$\times \text{Arch } ZDA - \text{Cord } ZA$ .

## Ex. 11.

Let the Cissoid  $NM$  revolve round the Asymptote  $AP$ ; let  $AN=a$ ,  $AP=x$ ,  $PM=y$ , then is  $x=$

127.

$\frac{a-y)^2}{\sqrt{ay-yy}} = \frac{(a-y)^{\frac{3}{2}}}{\sqrt{y}}$ ; whence  $\dot{x}=\frac{-a\dot{y}-2y\dot{y}}{2yy}$

$\sqrt{ay-yy}$ ; therefore  $\dot{z}=\frac{a\dot{y}}{2y} \sqrt{\frac{a+3y}{y}}$ ; consequent-

ly  $s=c\dot{z}=\frac{cay}{2} \sqrt{\frac{a+3y}{y}} = \frac{cay^{-\frac{1}{2}}\dot{y}}{2} \sqrt{a+3y}$ :

From whence (by Forms the 9th and 13th)  $s=\frac{1}{2}ca\sqrt{ay+3yy}$

FIG.  $\frac{1}{2}ca\sqrt{ay+3yy} + \frac{caa}{4} \times 2.3025 \text{Log. } a+by+2\sqrt{3ay+9y^2}$   
 and the Fluent being duly corrected,  $s = \frac{1}{2}ca\sqrt{ay+3yy}$   
 $- caa + \frac{2.302585caa}{4} \times \text{Log. } \frac{a+by+2\sqrt{3ay+9yy}}{a \times 7 + 4\sqrt{3}}$ .

Ex. 12.

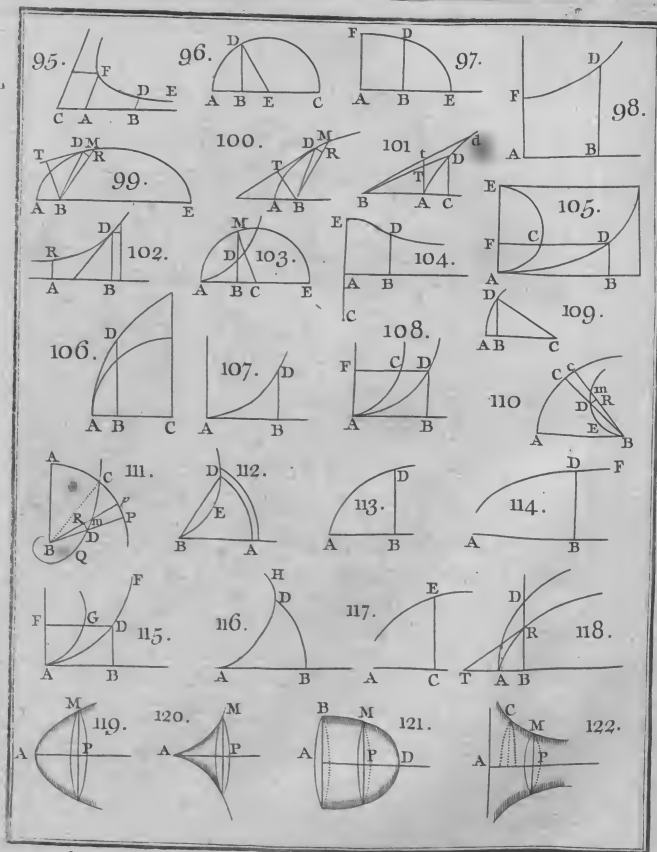
128. Let *DM* be the Log. Curve; to find the Surface it describes by revolving round the Assymptote *AP*. Put Subtangent *PT*=*a*, *AD*=*b*, *AP*=*x*, *PM*=*y*. By the Nature of the Curve  $\dot{x} = \frac{ay}{y}$ : Whence  $\dot{s} = cy\sqrt{\frac{aay^2}{y^2} + \dot{y}^2} = cy\sqrt{aa+yy}$ ; and (by Form 9 and 13)  $s = \frac{1}{2}y\sqrt{aa+yy} + \frac{1}{2}caa \times 2.3025 \text{Log. } y+\sqrt{aa+yy}$ : but in *D*,  $s=0$ , and  $y=b$ ; therefore the Fluent corrected by Prop. XII. is  $s = \frac{1}{2}y\sqrt{aa+yy} - \frac{1}{2}b\sqrt{aa+bb} + \frac{1}{2}caa \times 2.302585 \text{Log. } \frac{y+\sqrt{aa+yy}}{b+\sqrt{aa+bb}}$ .

Ex. 13.

129. Let the Cycloid *AM* revolve about *RC*: Let *AP*=*x*, *PM*=*y*, Curve *AM*=*z*. By the Process Ex. 8. Prob. VIII.  $\dot{z} = \dot{x}\sqrt{\frac{a}{x}}$ , therefore  $\dot{s} = cxPRx\dot{x}\sqrt{\frac{a}{x}} = \overline{a-x} \times c\dot{x}\sqrt{\frac{a}{x}} = ca^{\frac{3}{2}}x^{-\frac{1}{2}}\dot{x} - ca^{\frac{1}{2}}x^{\frac{1}{2}}\dot{x}$ , whence  $s = 2ca^{\frac{3}{2}}x^{\frac{1}{2}} - \frac{2}{3}ca^{\frac{1}{2}}x^{\frac{3}{2}} = c\sqrt{ax} \times 2a - \frac{2}{3}x$ . And when  $x=a$ , the whole Surface described by *AMC* =  $\frac{4}{3}caa$ .

Ex. 14.

119. Suppose the Catenary *AM* to revolve round the Axis *AP*, by Nature of the Curve  $zz=2ax+xx$ , or  $a+x = \sqrt{aa+zz}$ , whence  $\dot{x} = \frac{z\dot{z}}{\sqrt{aa+zz}}$ ; likewise  $\dot{y} =$







$\dot{y} = \sqrt{\dot{z}^2 - \dot{x}^2} = \frac{a\dot{z}}{\sqrt{aa+zz}}$ . Since  $\dot{s} = cy\dot{z}$ , assume FIG.

the Fluent  $s = cyz - t$  (by Rule 8. Prop. X.) This

put into Fluxions is  $\dot{s} = cy\dot{z} + cz\dot{y} - \dot{t}$ , or  $\dot{t} = cz\dot{y} =$

$\frac{caz\dot{z}}{\sqrt{aa+zz}}$ , and (by Form the 3d)  $t = ca\sqrt{aa+zz}$ ;

whence  $s = cyz - ca\sqrt{aa+zz} = cyz - caa - cax$ .

And when corrected  $s = cyz - cax$ .

# PROB. XIV.

*To find the Content of solid Bodies.*

In any Solid  $AMm$ , generated by the Space  $APM$  130:  
 revolving round the Axis  $AP$ ; suppose the Plane  $Mm$   
 to move along the Axis  $AP$ , and by that Motion to  
 describe or generate that Solid; and suppose a given  
 Rectangle  $B$  to move with the same Motion along the  
 same Axis  $AP$ , and by that Motion to generate a  
 Parallelopipedon; the Fluxions of these Solids will  
 be as the describing Planes  $Mm$  and  $B$  drawn into the  
 Velocities of their Motions or the Fluxions of the Ab-  
 scissa  $AP$ . Now since  $B \times AP =$  Parallelopipedon, and  
 $B \times$  Fluxion of  $AP =$  it's Fluxion, consequently the  
 Fluxion of the Solid  $AMm =$  describing Plane  $Mm \times$   
 into the Fluxion of  $AP$ .

Likewise if the Solid  $AMb$  be supposed to be gene- 131:  
 rated by a cylindric Surface  $MHbm$  continually ex-  
 panding it self and moving along the Ordinate  $PM$ ,  
 still retaining  $AP$  for it's Axis; it may be the same  
 way proved, that the Fluxion of the Solid  $AMHbmA$   
 or  $HME_mH$  generated thereby is  $=$  cylindric Surface  
 $MHbm$  multiplied by the Fluxion of the Ordinate  
 $PM$ . Therefore,

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FIG.

To find the Solidity of a Body, let the Abscissa  $AP = x$ , Ordinate  $PM = y$ ,  $MH = u$ ,  $c = 3.1416$  &c  $s =$  solid Content. Then by the Equation of the Curve expunge one of the indetermined Quantities (and it's Fluxion) out of the Equation  $s = cyyx$  for the Solid  $AMm$ , or out of the Equation  $s = 2cuyy$  for the cylindrical Solid  $AMHbm$  or  $HMEmb$ ; and then find the Fluent.

Example 1.

123. Let  $ABD$  be a Cone, Height  $AC = a$ ,  $CB$  or  $CD = b$ , then  $bx = ay$ ; therefore  $s = cyyx = \frac{cbx^2x}{aa}$ , and  $s = \frac{cb^2x^3}{3aa} = \frac{cyyx}{3}$ , and the whole Cone  $= \frac{cabb}{3} = \text{Base} \times \frac{1}{3} \text{ Height}$ .

Ex. 2.

132. Let  $BF$  be a Prismoid, whose Bases are right angled Parallelograms, though not similar.

Let it's perpendicular Height  $AL = b$ ,  $AP = x$ ,  $AD = d$ ,  $BE = s$ ,  $AG = n$ ,  $BC = m$ , by similar Triangles  $k : x :: s - d : \frac{s-d}{b}x = QI$ , and  $h : x :: m - n : \frac{m-n}{b}x = IR$ ; then  $KI = d + \frac{s-d}{b}x$ , and  $IH = n + \frac{m-n}{b}x$ ; then  $s = d + \frac{s-d}{b}x \times n + \frac{m-n}{b}x \times x = dnx + \frac{m-n}{b}dxx + \frac{s-d}{b}nxx + \frac{s-d}{b}x \times \frac{m-n}{b}x^2$ ; therefore  $s = dnx + \frac{m-n}{2b}dx^2 + \frac{s-d}{2b}nx^2 + \frac{s-d \times m-n}{3bb}x^3$  for the Solid  $HIKE$ . And when  $x = b$ , then the whole Solid  $BF = dm + sn + 2sn + 2dn + \frac{db}{6} = \frac{s+d}{2} \times m + \frac{d+\frac{1}{2}s \times m}{2} \times x + \frac{1}{3}b$ .

Ex. 3.

Ex. 3.

Let  $AMm$  be the Segment of a Sphere; it's Diameter  $= a$ , then  $yy = ax - xx$ , therefore  $s = cyy\dot{x} = cax\dot{x} - cx^2\dot{x}$ . Therefore  $s = \frac{cax^2}{2} - \frac{cx^3}{3}$ , for the Segment  $AMPm$ . And when  $x=a$ , the whole Sphere  $= \frac{ca^3}{6} = \frac{2}{3}$  the circumscribing Cylinder. FIG. 130.

Ex. 4.

Let  $AMm$  be the Segment of a Sphere of an exceeding small Height, here  $yy=ax$  nearly, therefore (by Cor. 3. Prop. II.)  $s = cyy\dot{x} = cax\dot{x}$ ; therefore  $s = \frac{caxx}{2} = \frac{cxy}{2}$ , nearly.

Hence in any Solid of a finite Curvature, the Content of a Segment of a very small Height, will be found to be half the Base drawn into the Height.

Ex. 5.

Let the Solid be a Paraboloid, where  $ax=yy$ ; then  $s = cyy\dot{x} = cax\dot{x}$ ; therefore  $s = \frac{caxx}{2} = \frac{cyyx}{2} = \frac{1}{2}$  Base  $\times$  Height. 130.

And in general if  $x=y^m$ , then  $\dot{x}=my^{m-1}\dot{y}$ ; and then  $s = cyy\dot{x} = cmy^{m+1}\dot{y}$ ; and therefore  $s = \frac{cm}{m+2} y^{m+2} = \frac{cm}{m+2} y^2 x$ . Therefore in the conic Parabola, where  $m=\frac{1}{2}$ , that is when the Curve is convex towards  $AP$ , then the Solidity  $= \frac{cyyx}{5} = \frac{1}{5}$  Base  $\times$  Height.

Ex. 6.

Let  $AmD$  be a parabolic Spindle, generated by the Parabola  $AMD$  (whose Axis is  $DT$ ) revolving round the Ordinate  $AT$ . 130.

Let  $AT=b$ ,  $DT=d$ ,  $DH=v$ ,  $MH=u$ , then  $MP$  or  $y=d-v$ , and  $av=uu$  by the Nature of the Curve: Whence  
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FIG. Whence  $\dot{y} = -\dot{v} = \frac{-2ui}{a}$ ; wherefore  $\dot{s} = 2cu\dot{y} = \frac{-4cu^2\dot{u}}{a} = \frac{-4cu^2\dot{u}}{a} \times d - \frac{uu}{a}$ . Therefore the Flu-  
 ent  $s = \frac{-4cdu^3}{3a} + \frac{4cu^5}{5aa}$ : but in  $A$  where  $s$  is 0,  
 $u=b$ ; therefore the Fluent corrected is  $s = \frac{4cdb^3}{3a}$   
 $-\frac{4cdub^3}{3a} + \frac{4cu^5}{5aa} - \frac{4cb^5}{5aa} = \frac{8cdb^3}{15a} - \frac{4cu^5}{15a} \times$   
 $v-d$ , for the Solid  $AMHbm$ ; and when  $v$  and  
 $u=0$ , the whole Solid  $ADd = \frac{8cdb^3}{15a} = \frac{8cbdd}{15} =$   
 $\frac{8}{15}$  the Base  $\times$  Height.

Ex. 7.

130. Let  $AMm$  be an Hyperboloid, Transverse  $=a$ , Conju-  
 gate  $=b$ . Then  $yy = \frac{bb}{aa} \times ax + xx$ ; and  $\dot{s} = cyy\dot{x}$   
 $= \frac{cbb\dot{x}}{aa} \times ax + xx$ . And the Fluent  $s = \frac{cbbxx}{2a} +$   
 $\frac{cbbx^3}{3aa} = (\text{expunging } bb) \frac{3ax+2xx}{6a+6x} \times cy = \frac{3a+2x}{6a+6x}$   
 $\times$  Base  $\times$  Height.

Hence if  $x=0$ , then the Solid  $=\frac{1}{2}$  Base  $\times$  Height,  
 and if  $x$  be infinite, then the Solid  $=\frac{1}{2}$  Base  $\times$  Height:  
 Therefore the Hyperboloid is always between  $\frac{1}{2}$  and  $\frac{1}{2}$   
 the circumscribing Cylinder, and is nearly  $=\frac{1}{2}$   
 thereof.

Ex. 8.

133. Let the Hyperbola  $CM$  revolve round the Conjugate  
 $AP$ ,  $A$  being the Center,  $AC=b$ , Semiconjugate  $=a$ .  
 By the Nature of the Figure  $yy = bb + \frac{bb}{aa} xx$ ;  
 whence  $\dot{s} = cyy\dot{x} = cbb\dot{x} + \frac{cbbx^2\dot{x}}{aa}$ , and  $s = cbbx +$   
 $\frac{cbb}{3aa} x^3 = \frac{2}{3}cbbx + \frac{1}{3}cyyx$ , the Solid described by  $ACMP$ .  
 Ex. 9.

## Ex. 9.

Let the Hyperbola  $DM$  revolve round the Asymptote  $AP$ , let  $AB=b$ ,  $BD=d$ ,  $xy=aa$ . Then  $\dot{s}=cyy\dot{x}$  134.  
 $=\frac{ca^4\dot{x}}{xx}$ , whence  $s=\frac{ca^4}{x}$ , let the Solid begin at

$B$ ; and then the Fluent corrected is  $s=\frac{ca^4}{b}-\frac{ca^4}{x}$   
 $=caa \times \frac{1}{d-y}$ .

Note if  $CAB$  is not a Right Angle,  $s$  must be diminished in the Ratio of the Radius to the Sine of that Angle. When  $y=0$ , the infinitely long Solid  $DMPB$   
 $=caad=cddb=\text{Base} \times AB$ .

Or thus: Let  $AP=x$ ,  $Pm=y$ ,  $aa=xy$ , then  $u=x=\frac{aa}{y}$ ,  
 whence  $\dot{s}=2cuy\dot{y}=2caay\dot{y}$ ; therefore  $s=2caay$   
 $=2cyyx$ , for the infinitely long Solid  $AHM\mathcal{Q}P$ .

## Ex. 10.

Let  $DM$  the Log. Curve revolve round the Asymptote  $AP$ , let Subtangent  $MP=a$ , then  $y\dot{x}=a\dot{y}$ ; and  $\dot{s}=cyy\dot{x}=cay\dot{y}$ ; therefore  $s=\frac{cayy}{2}=\text{Base} \times \frac{1}{2}TP$ , for the infinitely long Solid,  $MPAD$ . 128.

## Ex. 11.

Let  $AM$  be a Spheroid,  $A$  the Center,  $AE=a$ ,  $AC=b$ , then  $yy=bb-\frac{bb}{aa}xx$ ; whence  $\dot{s}=cyy\dot{x}=cbb\dot{x}-\frac{cbbx^2\dot{x}}{aa}$ ; therefore  $s=cbbx-\frac{cbb}{3aa}x^3=\frac{2}{3}cbbx+\frac{1}{3}cyyx$ . And when  $x=a$ , then  $s=\frac{2}{3}cbba=\frac{2}{3}\text{Base} \times \text{Height}$ . 135.

## Ex. 12.

Let the Segment  $ADMN$  of a Circle revolve about the Sine  $AN$ ;  $CD=r$ ,  $CA=b$ ,  $AP$  or  $C\mathcal{Q}=x$ ,  $PM=y=\sqrt{rr-xx}-b$ ; then  $\dot{s}=cyy\dot{x}=cx \times rr+\frac{bb-xx}{\sqrt{rr-xx}}-2bcx\sqrt{rr-xx}$ ; and the Fluent  $s=cx \times rr+\frac{bb-\frac{1}{3}xx}{\sqrt{rr-xx}}-2bc \times \text{Area } CDM\mathcal{Q}$  the Solid described by  $ADMP$ . 136.

## Ex. 13.

FIG. In the Cissoïd  $AM$  revolving round  $AR=a$ , we have

137.  $y = \frac{xx}{\sqrt{ax-xx}}$ , whence  $\dot{s} = cy\dot{x} = \frac{cx^3\dot{x}}{a-x} = -cx^2\dot{x}$   
 $-cax\dot{x} - caa\dot{x} + \frac{ca^3\dot{x}}{a-x}$ : Therefore (by Form 4 &c)  
 $s = -\frac{cx^3}{3} - \frac{cax^2}{2} - caax - 2.30258ca^3 \times \text{Log.}$   
 $\frac{a-x}{a}$ : And when duly corrected  $s = -\frac{1}{3}cx^3 - \frac{1}{2}cax^2$   
 $- caax + 2.30258 \text{ Log. } a - 2.30258 \text{ Log. } \frac{a}{a-x} =$   
 $2.302585ca^3 \times \text{Log. } \frac{a}{a-x} - \frac{1}{3}cx^3 - \frac{1}{2}cax^2 - caax.$

## Ex. 14.

138. Let the Cissoïd revolve round the Asymptote  $AP$ , then  
 $x = \frac{a-y}{\sqrt{y}} = u$ : Whence  $\dot{s} = 2cuy\dot{y} = 2cxy\dot{y} =$   
 $2cy^{\frac{1}{2}}\dot{y} \times \frac{a-y}{\sqrt{y}}^{\frac{1}{2}}$ : Therefore (by Forms 10, 11 and 13)  
 $s = ca \times \text{Segment } ACD + \frac{2}{3}c \times \overline{ay-yy}^{\frac{3}{2}}$ , for the infi-  
 nitely long Solid  $ADMQ$ . And the whole  $ABMQ$   
 $= ca \times \text{Semicircle } ACB.$

## Ex. 15.

139. Let the Conchoid  $DM$  revolve about the Asymptote  $AP$ ;  
 $AD=a$ ,  $AC=b$ , then  $b+y\sqrt{aa-yy}=xy$ , and  $u=x$ ;  
 therefore  $\dot{s} = 2cuy\dot{y} = 2cxy\dot{y} = 2c\dot{y} \times \overline{b+y\sqrt{aa-yy}} =$   
 $2bc\dot{y}\sqrt{aa-yy} + 2cy\dot{y}\sqrt{aa-yy}$ . Describe the Quadrant  
 $ADK$ ; then (by Forms 10 and 13 &c)  $s = 2cb \times$   
 $\text{Area } AKLR - \frac{2}{3}c \times \overline{aa-yy}^{\frac{3}{2}}$ . And, duly corrected,  
 $s = 2cb \times \text{Area } AKLR + \frac{2}{3}ca^3 - \frac{2}{3}c \times \overline{aa-yy}^{\frac{3}{2}}$ , for the  
 infinitely long Solid  $ARMQ$ .

## Ex. 16.

139. Let the Conchoid  $DM$  revolve round the Axis  $DR$ ,  
 here the Circle described by  $RM=cxx$ , and the  
 Fluxion

Fluxion of  $DR$  or  $a-y$  is  $-\dot{y}$ ; therefore the Fluxion FIG.

of the Solid  $\dot{s} = -cxy\dot{y} = -c\dot{y} \times \frac{b+y^2}{yy} \times \overline{aa-yy} =$

$c\dot{y} \times \overline{b+y^2} - \frac{aabb\dot{c}y}{yy} - \frac{2aabc}{y} \dot{y} - aac\dot{y}$ : Whence

$s = \frac{c}{3} \times \overline{b+y^3} + \frac{cbbaa}{y} - 2aabc \times 2.302585 \times$   
 Log.  $y - aac\dot{y}$ . And by due Correction (when  $y=a$ )

$s = \frac{1}{3}c \times \overline{b+a^3} - \frac{1}{3}c \times \overline{b+a^3} + \frac{aabb\dot{c}}{y} - abbc + a^3c$   
 $- aac\dot{y} + 2.30258 \times 2caab \times \text{Log. } \frac{a}{y}$ .

Ex. 17.

Let the Cycloid  $AMC$  revolve about the Axis  $RC$ , 129.  
 let  $AR=a$ ,  $AP=x$ ,  $Rp=u$ ,  $pM=y$ , Arch  $AB=v$ ,  
 $PB=z$ , then  $x=a-y$ , and  $\dot{x}=-\dot{y}$ , and by the Na-

ture of the Figure  $u=v+z$ , and  $\dot{u}=\dot{v}+\dot{z}=$   
 $\frac{a\dot{x}}{2\sqrt{ay-yy}} + \frac{2y-a}{\sqrt{ay+yy}} \dot{x} = \dot{x} \sqrt{\frac{y}{a-y}} = -\dot{y} \sqrt{\frac{y}{a-y}}$ :  
 then  $\dot{s} = 2cuy\dot{y}$ ; and assume  $s = cuyy + t$ , this put

into Fluxions we shall find  $\dot{t} = -cyy\dot{y} = \frac{cy^{\frac{3}{2}}\dot{y}}{\sqrt{a-y}}$ ;

whence (by Forms the 10th and 11th)  $t = \frac{5ca^3}{16} \phi -$

$\frac{8yy + 10ay + 15aa}{24} \times c\sqrt{ay-yy}$  (putting  $\phi =$

$\frac{8 \text{ Sectors } CBR}{aa}$ ): Therefore  $s = cuyy + \frac{5}{2}ca \times$

Sector  $GBR - \frac{15caa + 10acy + 8cyy}{24} \sqrt{ay-yy}$ , for

the Solid described by  $PMCR$ . And when  $y=a$ ;  
 then  $s = \frac{5}{2}ca \times \text{Semicircle } ABR$ , the Solid described  
 by the whole Space  $AMCR$  revolving about  $RC$ .

Ex. 18.

## Ex. 18.

FIG. Let the Catenary  $AM$  revolve about the Axis  $AP$ ;

130. here  $AP=x$ ,  $PM=y$ ,  $AM=z$ , and  $zz=2ax+xx$ , whence (see Ex. 8. Prob. III.)  $zy=ax$ . Now  $\dot{s}=cyy\dot{x}$ , and assume  $s=cyyx+t$ , this in Fluxions gives
- $$\dot{s} = -2cxy\dot{y} = \left( \text{because } \dot{y} = \frac{ax}{z} \right) - 2cay \times \frac{xx}{z} =$$
- $$\left( \text{because } x\dot{x}=z\dot{z}-a\dot{x} \right) - 2cay \times \dot{z} - \frac{ax}{z} = -2cay$$
- $$\times \dot{z} - \dot{y} = 2cay\dot{y} - 2cay\dot{z}; \text{ then assume } t = cayy - 2cayz + u, \text{ this Equation in Fluxions will produce}$$
- $$\dot{u} = 2caz\dot{y} = 2caax, \text{ whence } u = 2caax. \text{ Therefore the}$$
- Solid  $s=cxyy+cayy-2cayz+2caax$ .

## P R O B. XV.

140. The Nature of the reflecting Curve  $AMn$ , and the luminous Point  $L$  being given; To find the Focus  $F$ , or the Concourse of the nearest reflected Rays  $MF$ ,  $nF$ .

Take the Particle of the Curve  $Mn$  infinitely small, and let  $C$  be the Center and  $CM$  the Radius of Curvature of the Arch  $Mn$ ; and on  $ML$ ,  $nL$ ,  $MF$ ,  $nF$  let fall the Perpendiculars  $CE$ ,  $Ce$ ,  $CG$ ,  $Cg$ ; also on the Centers  $L$ ,  $F$ , describe the small Arches  $Mr$ ,  $no$ ; then the little Triangles  $Mon$ ,  $Mnr$  are equal and similar, and  $Mo=nr$ . By the Nature of Reflexion the Angle  $LMC=CMF$ , and  $LnC=CnF$ , whence  $CE=CG$ , and  $Ce=Cg$ . Now if  $CE=Ce$  (that is, if  $L$  falls in  $E$  or  $e$ ) then will  $CG=Cg$ ; that is, the Point  $F$  will fall in  $G$  or  $g$  when  $M$  and  $n$  coincide: But if  $Ce$  be less than  $CE$ , that is, if  $L$  falls below  $E$ , then will  $Cg$  be less than  $CG$ , and the Intersection  $F$  will then



then fall above  $G$  towards towards  $M$ ; and the contrary. The Triangles  $LEQ$ ,  $LMr$ ; and  $Fon$ ,  $FSG$  are similar, and  $EQ = CE - Ce = CG - Cg = SG$ ; and  $Mr = no$ , and  $FG = MG - MF = ME - MF$ ; therefore  $LM : LE :: (Mr : EQ :: no : SG :: FM : FG ::) FM : ME - MF$ . Whence  $MF =$

$$\frac{LM \times ME}{2LM - ME}$$

Otherwise thus: Draw the Tangent  $MP$ , and the Perpendicular  $LP$ , and let  $LM = y$ ,  $LP = u$ ,  $ME = v$ , and by Prob. V.  $MC = \frac{yy}{u}$ , whence by similar Triangles  $vy = \frac{yuy}{u}$ , or  $vu = uy$ , therefore  $MF =$

$$\frac{uyy}{2yu - uy}$$

1. Wherefore if  $CM$  be the Radius of Curvature,  $CE$  perpendicular to  $LM$ , and  $LP$  perpendicular to the Tangent  $PM$ , and we make the Distance of the radiating Point  $LM = y$ ,  $ME = v$ ,  $LP = u$ : Then compute the Value of  $v$  by Prob. V. and take  $MF = \frac{vy}{2y - v}$ : And when  $AM$  is convex towards  $L$  write  $-v$  instead of  $+v$ .

2. Or find  $u$  from the Nature of the Curve, by Help of which expunge  $u$  out of the Equation  $MF = \frac{uyy}{2yu - uy}$ .

COR. The Curve  $FfH$  passing through all the Points  $F$ , or touching all the reflected Rays  $MF$ ,  $mf$  is called the Catacaustic or Caustic by Reflexion. In which any Portion  $HfF$  of the Curve is  $= LM + MF - LA - AH$ . For drawing  $mL$  infinitely near  $ML$ , and  $Mo$ ,  $mr$  perpendicular to  $mF$ ,  $ML$ ; then since  $mo = Mr$ , therefore  $Lm + mf = LM + MF$ , or  $LM + MF - Lm - mf = 0$ ; and adding  $fF$ ,  $LM + MF - Lm - mf = fF$ ; but these Moments are as the Fluxions, and therefore the Fluents thereof will be equal, that is the Curve  $HF = LM + MF - LA - AH$ .

Ex. 1.

## Ex. 1.

FIG. Let  $AM$  be a right Line, then  $v$  is infinite, whence

$$142. \quad MF = \frac{vy}{2y-v} = \frac{vy}{-v} = -y.$$

Or thus:  $u$  is a standing Quantity and  $u=0$ , therefore  $MF = \frac{uy}{2yu-uy} = \frac{uy}{-uy} = -y$ : Whence Perpendicular  $PF=PL$ , and  $F$  is the Focus of the reflected Rays.

## Ex. 2.

143. Let  $MD$  be a Circle,  $C$  the Center; then  $MF = \frac{vy}{2y-v}$ . And when  $y$  is infinite,  $MF = \frac{1}{2}v = \frac{1}{2}ME$ .

And if  $MD$  be very small,  $MF = \frac{LD \times DC}{2LC + CD}$ .

And if  $LC = CD$ , then  $MF = \frac{1}{3}v = \frac{1}{3}ME = \frac{1}{3}LM$ .

## Ex. 3.

144. Let  $MD$  be a Parabola, and let the Rays be parallel to the Axis  $DB$ , then  $y$  is infinite, whence  $MF = \frac{ay}{2y-v} = \frac{1}{2}v$ . But by Prob. V.  $v = \frac{2.MQ^2}{r}$

(putting  $r =$  Latus Rectum) also  $QT = \frac{2QM^2}{r}$ ,

therefore  $QT=v$ , and  $QF = \frac{1}{2}v = MF$ , and therefore  $F$  is the Focus of the Parabola.

## Ex. 4.

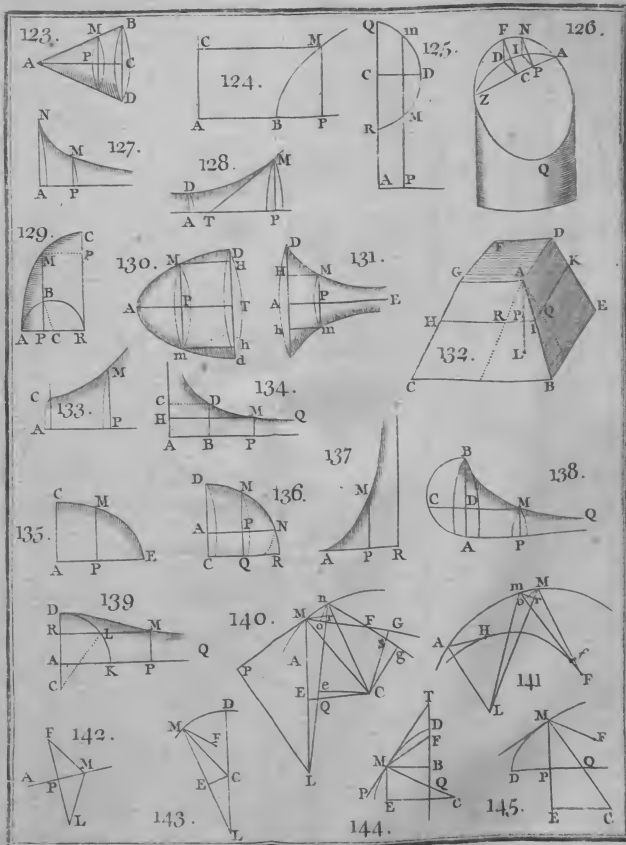
145. Let  $DM$  be a Parabola, and let all the Rays be perpendicular to the Axis  $DQ$ . Let  $DP=x$ ,  $PM=z$ ,  $MQ=s$ , and  $rx=zz$ . Then by Prob. V.  $ME$  or  $v$

$= \frac{4sz}{rr}$ , and  $ss=zz + \frac{1}{4}rr$  by the Nature of the Fi-

gure: Whence  $MF = \frac{vy}{2y-v} = \frac{1}{2}v = \frac{2z^2}{rr} + \frac{1}{4}z$

$= \frac{2zx}{r} + \frac{1}{4}z$ .

Ex. 5.





Ex. 5.

Let  $DM$  be the Log. Spiral, the Center  $L$  the luminous Point. By Prob. V.  $v=y$ , whence  $MF=$  FIG. 146.

$$\frac{vy}{2y-v} = y.$$

Ex. 6.

Suppose  $DM$  to be an Ellipsis,  $L$  the Focus, the Transverse  $= 2r$ , Conjugate  $= 2c$ ; then by the Pro- 147.

perty of the Curve  $PL$  or  $u = \frac{cy}{\sqrt{2ry-yy}}$ , and  $u$

$$= \frac{cryy}{2ry-yy}^{\frac{1}{2}}; \text{ whence } MF = \frac{uyy}{2yu-uy} =$$

$$\frac{cy^2y \times 2ry-yy}{cy^3y} = 2r-y; \text{ consequently (since the}$$

Angle  $LMP = FMT$ ) the Point  $F$  is the other Focus.

And in like Manner it will be found that Rays issuing from one Focus of an Hyperbola, and reflected by the Curve will diverge from the other Focus.

## P R O B. XVI.

The Nature of the refracting Curve  $AMn$ , and the luminous Point  $L$  being given; to find the Focus  $F$ , or the Point where the nearest refracted Rays  $MF$ ,  $nF$  concur; and where they meet the Axis of the Figure. 148.

Suppose the Arch  $Mn$  to be infinitely small, and let  $C$  be the Center and  $CM$  the Radius of Curvature in  $M$ ; and let fall the Perpendiculars  $CE$ ,  $Ce$  on the Rays of Incidence  $LM$ ,  $Ln$ , and the Perpendiculars  $CG$ ,  $Cg$  on the refracted Rays  $MF$ ,  $nF$ ; and let the Sine of Incidence  $CE$  to the Sine of Refraction  $CG$  be as  $m$  to  $n$ . On the Centers  $L$ ,  $F$ , describe the small Arches  $Mr$   $Mo$ . Now since  $Ce$  exceeds  $CE$ , therefore

F f Cg

FIG. *Cg* exceeds *CG*, they being in a given Ratio; whence *MF*, *nF* intersect beyond *G*.

The Figures *GCME* and *onMr* are similar; therefore  $ME : MG :: Mr : Mo = \frac{MG \times Mr}{ME}$ ;

and  $LM : LQ :: Mr : Qe = \frac{LQ \times Mr}{LM}$ : And by

the Property of Refraction,  $m : n :: (Ce : Cg :: CE : CG :: Ce - CE : Cg - CG ::) eQ : Sg = \frac{n \times LQ \times Mr}{m \times LM}$ ;

and by the similar Triangles *FoM*, *Fgs*, *Mo—Sg* : *Mo* :: *MG* : *MF* =  $\frac{m \times MG^2 \times LM}{m \times MG \times LM - n \times LQ \times ME}$ .

149. Produce *MF* till it intersect the Axis of the Curve in *O*, and let *LA*=*d*, *AO*=*f*, *LM*=*y*, *MO*=*s*, *AH*=*x*, *MH*=*z*, then  $y = \sqrt{z^2 + d + x^2}$ , and  $s =$

148.  $\sqrt{zz + f - x^2}$ . And it is  $y' : -s' :: rn : on :: m : n$ , and  $ny' = -ms'$  or  $ny = -ms$ , that is  $\frac{nz\dot{z} + nd\dot{x} + nx\dot{x}}{\sqrt{zz + d + x^2}} = \frac{mf\dot{x} - mx\dot{x} - mz\dot{z}}{\sqrt{zz + f - x^2}}$ . Therefore,

149. 1. To find the Focus *F*, let *CM* be the Radius of Curvature, *CE* perpendicular to *LM*, and *CG* to *MG*, *ME*=*v*, *MG*=*u*. *LM*=*y*, *m* and *n* the Sines of Incidence and Refraction. Then find *v* and *u* by Prob. V. and take  $MF = \frac{muuy}{muy - nvv - nvy}$ . If *AM* is concave towards *L*, write  $-v$  for *v*, and  $-u$  for *u*: And if the Rays converge when they fall on the Curve *AM*, write  $-y$  for *y*.

2. To find the Point *O* where the refracted Ray meets the Axis of the Curve, let *LA*=*d*, *AO*=*f*, *AH*=*x*, *MH*=*z*, then by the Nature of the Curve expunge  $\dot{x}$  or  $\dot{z}$  out of the Equation  $\frac{nz\dot{z} + nd\dot{x} + nx\dot{x}}{\sqrt{zz + d + x^2}} = \frac{mf\dot{x} - mx\dot{x} - mz\dot{z}}{\sqrt{zz + f - x^2}}$ ; and by Reduction find *f*. And when

when the Curve is concave towards  $L$ , write  $-x$  for  $+x$ , &c. FIG.

COR. The Curve  $NfF$  passing through all the Points  $F$ , or which touches all the refracted Rays  $KN$ ,  $MF$ , is called the Diacaustic or Caustic by Refraction. 150.

And any Portion of it  $NF = FM + \frac{n}{m}ML - NK - \frac{n}{m}KL$ . For supposing  $Mn$  infinitely small, and draw-

ing  $Mo$ ,  $Mr$ , Perpendiculars on  $fn$ ,  $nL$ ; then by the Nature of Refraction  $m : n :: rn : on = \frac{n}{m}rn$ ,

therefore  $on = \frac{n}{m}rn = o$ ; that is  $Mf - nf -$

$\frac{n}{m} \times \overline{Ln - LM} = o$ , and adding  $Ff$ ; we have  $Ff =$

$MF - nf - \frac{n}{m} \times \overline{Ln - LM}$ ; but these Moments are

as the Fluxions, whence the Fluents will be equal, or

$FN = FM - KN - \frac{n}{m} \times \overline{LK - LM}$ .

### Example 1.

Let  $AM$  be a plane Surface, then  $v$ ,  $u$  are infinite, 151.

whence  $\frac{muuy}{muy - vvv - nvy} = \frac{muuy}{-vvv}$ . Now let

$r =$  the infinite Radius of Curvature, the Perpendicular  $LA = p$ , then by the similar Triangles  $LAM$ ,

$MCE$ ,  $v = \frac{rp}{y}$ ; also  $mm \times \overline{rr - uu} = mn \times \overline{rr - vv}$ ,

by the right angled Triangles  $MEC$ ,  $MGC$ : Whence

$uu = \frac{mm - nn}{mm} rr + \frac{nn}{m^2} uv$ ; therefore  $MF =$

$\frac{-muuy}{-vvv} = -\frac{mm - nn}{mnau} \times rry - \frac{ny}{m} = -\frac{m^2 - n^2}{mnp^2} y^3$ .

$-\frac{n}{m} y$ . And near the Point  $A$ ,  $Af = -\frac{m}{n} p$ .

Ex. 2.

FIG. *Let parallel Rays fall on the convex Side of the Sphere*

152. *AM*; then  $y$  is infinite, and  $MF = \frac{muuy}{muy-nvv-nvy}$   
 $= \frac{muu}{mu-nv}$ , and near the Vertex  $A$ ,  $u=v=AC$ ;  
 whence  $AF = \frac{m \times AC}{m-n}$ .

Ex. 3.

153. *Let parallel Rays fall on the concave Side of the Sphere*

*AM*; then  $y$  is infinite, and  $v, u$  are negative;  
 whence  $MF = \frac{muuy}{-muy-nvv+nvu} = \frac{muu}{nv-mu}$ , and  
 at the Vertex  $A$ ,  $v=u=AC$ , then  $AF = \frac{mu}{n-m} =$   
 $\frac{m}{n-m} AC$ .

Ex. 4.

154. *Suppose the Rays proceeding from L, to fall on the convex*  
*Side of the Sphere AM*; then  $MF = \frac{muuy}{muy-nvv-nvy}$ .

And in or near the Vertex,  $MF = \frac{muy}{m-n \times y - nu}$   
 $= \frac{mry}{m-n \times y - nr}$ .

And to find where the refracted Ray meets the Axis  
 of the Sphere,  $zz = 2rx - xx$ , and  $z\dot{z} = r\dot{x} - x\dot{x}$ , by  
 which expunge  $z$  and  $\dot{z}$  out of the Equation

$$\frac{nz\dot{z} + nd\dot{x} + nx\dot{x}}{\sqrt{zz + d + x^2}} = \frac{mf\dot{x} - mx\dot{x} - mz\dot{z}}{\sqrt{zz + f - x^2}}, \text{ and there}$$

arises  $\frac{nr + nd}{\sqrt{2rx + 2dx + dd}} = \frac{mf - mr}{\sqrt{2rx - 2fx + ff}}$ , by  
 Reduction of which  $f$  is found. And in the Vertex

$A$  where  $x$  is 0,  $\frac{mf - mr}{f} = \frac{nr + nd}{d}$ , or  $f =$   
 $\frac{mdr}{m-n \times d - nr}$ .

Ex. 5.



## Ex. 5.

If Rays fall on the concave Surface of the Sphere *AM*, FIG.

then  $MF = \frac{muuy}{-muy-nvv+rvy}$ . And near the Ver- 155.

$$\text{tex, } MF = \frac{muy}{n-m \times y-nu} = \frac{mry}{n-m \times y-nr}.$$

To find where *MF* cuts the Axis, here  $zz=2rx$   
 $-xx$ ; put the Equation into Fluxions, and write  
 $-x$  for  $x$ ,  $-\dot{x}$  for  $\dot{x}$ ,  $-r$  for  $r$  in the Equation

$$\frac{nzz+nd\dot{x}+nx\dot{x}}{\sqrt{zz+d+x^2}} = \frac{mf\dot{x}-mxx\dot{x}-mzz\dot{x}}{\sqrt{zz+f-x^2}}, \text{ and we}$$

$$\text{have } \frac{nr-nd}{\sqrt{dd-2dx+2rx}} = \frac{-mr-mf}{\sqrt{ff+2fx+2rx}}; \text{ and}$$

$$\text{in the Vertex } \frac{nr-nd}{d} = \frac{-mr-mf}{f}, \text{ or } f =$$

$$\frac{mrd}{n-m \times d-nr}.$$

COR. Since by the foregoing Equation  $n^2 \times r - d^2$   
 $\times ff + 2fx + 2rx = m^2 \times r + f^2 \times dd - 2dx + 2rx$ , and in  
 the Vertex  $n^2 \times r - d^2 = m^2 \times f + r^2$ , if  $d = \frac{m+n}{n}r$ ;

then, in the Vertex,  $f = -\frac{m+n}{m}r$ , and since the  
 same Value of  $d$  and  $f$  substituted in the other Part of  
 the Equation  $n^2 \times r - d^2 \times 2fx + 2rx = m^2 \times r + f^2 \times$   
 $2rx - 2dx$ , or  $n^2 \times r - d^2 = m^2 \times r + f^2$ , will still make  
 both Sides of the Equation equal: Therefore it fol-  
 lows, that when  $d = \frac{m+n}{n}r$ , then will  $f = -\frac{m+n}{m}r$ ,

for all Rays fall on all Parts of the Sphere; and there-  
 fore *F* or *O* will be a geometrical Focus.

And on the contrary, Rays converging to *O*, and  
 falling on the Sphere, will all be accurately refracted  
 to their Focus *L*.

Ex. 6.

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FIG. 156. *Let parallel Rays fall upon the Spheroid AM, let Transverse = b, Parameter = a, then  $zz = ax - \frac{a}{b}xx$ , and  $z\dot{z} = \frac{1}{2}a\dot{x} - \frac{a}{b}x\dot{x}$ ; and since  $d$  is infinite, therefore the Equation for AO becomes  $n = \frac{mf - mx - \frac{ma}{2} + \frac{ma}{b}x}{\sqrt{ax - \frac{a}{b}xx + f - x^2}}$ , whence  $f$  will be found; and in the Vertex where  $x = 0$ ,  $mf - \frac{1}{2}ma = nf$ , or  $f = \frac{\frac{1}{2}ma}{m-n}$ .*

COR. If  $b : a :: m^2 : m^2 - n^2$ , then  $a = \frac{b \times m^2 - n^2}{m^2}$ , and  $\frac{nb}{2m} =$  Distance of the Focus from the Center,

then  $f = \frac{m}{m-n} \times \frac{1}{2}a = \frac{m+n}{2m} \times b = \frac{1}{2}b + \frac{bn}{2m} =$  Distance of the remoter Focus from the Vertex; and since the same Values of  $a$  and  $f$  substituted into the general Equation  $n\sqrt{ax - \frac{a}{b}xx + f - x^2} = mf -$

$\frac{ma}{2} - mx + \frac{ma}{b}x$ , keep both Sides equal; therefore when parallel Rays fall upon a Spheroid in a

Direction parallel to the Axis, and  $a = \frac{b \times m^2 - n^2}{m^2}$ , then all these Rays falling on all Points of the Spheroid will be accurately refracted to the further Focus of the Figure.

And on the contrary, Rays issuing from the further Focus of this Spheroid and refracted at the Surface, will all emerge parallel to the Axis.

PROB.

## P R O B. XVII.

To find the Center of Gravity of any Line, Surface or Solid. FIG.

The Center of Gravity of a Body is that Point upon which, if it were suspended, it would rest in any given Position.

Let  $MN$  be any Figure or Solid Body, regular or irregular;  $C$  it's Center of Gravity; and suppose it to be suspended in  $C$  upon the horizontal Line  $SC$ , and the Axis of Suspension to pass through  $S$ , parallel to the Horizon and perpendicular to  $SC$ . Let all the infinitely small Particles of the Body be reduced to the Line  $SC$ , situated respectively in Planes perpendicular to  $SC$ ; and let the Magnitude of every two Particles of the Body taken on different Sides of  $C$  (as  $a$  and  $g$ ,  $b$  and  $h$ ,  $d$  and  $i$ , &c) be reciprocally as their Distances from  $C$ ; then is  $C$  still the Center of Gravity of each corresponding two, as it is of the whole  $MN$ . Therefore we have  $Ca \times a = Cg \times g$ , that is  $\overline{SC} - \overline{Sa} \times a = \overline{Sg} - \overline{SC} \times g$ , or  $\overline{a} + g \times SC = \overline{Sa} \times a + \overline{Sg} \times g$ . In like Manner  $\overline{b} + b \times SC = \overline{Sb} \times b + \overline{Sh} \times h$ , and  $\overline{d} + i \times SC = \overline{Sd} \times d + \overline{Si} \times i$  &c, whence  $\overline{a} + \overline{b} + \overline{d} + e + g + b + i + k \times SC = \overline{Sa} \times a + \overline{Sb} \times b + \overline{Sd} \times d + \overline{Se} \times e + \overline{Sg} \times g + \overline{Sh} \times h + \overline{Si} \times i + \overline{Sk} \times k$ , &c. consequently  $SC = \frac{\overline{Sa} \times a + \overline{Sg} \times g + \overline{Sb} \times b + \overline{Sh} \times h \text{ \&c.}}{a + g + b + h \text{ \&c.}}$ .

Now if any one of the variable Distances, as  $Sb$  be called  $x$ , the Body  $MN$ ,  $s$ ; then will  $Sb \times b = xs$ , and the Sum of all the  $\overline{Sa} \times a + \overline{Sb} \times b$  &c = Sum of all the  $xs$ , or the Fluent of  $xs$ : And the Sum of all the  $\overline{a} + \overline{b} + g$  &c = Sum of all the  $s$ , or the Fluent

FIG. Fluent of  $\dot{s}$  that is the Body  $MN$ ; therefore  $SC = \frac{\text{Fluent of } \dot{x}\dot{s}}{\text{Body } MN \text{ or } s}$ . Therefore

To find the Center of Gravity; let  $s =$  Line, Surface or Solid: Multiply the Fluxion of the Line, Surface or Solid ( $\dot{s}$ ) by the Distance (of the Center of Gravity of the generating Point, Line or Plane) from the Axis of Suspension; and find the Fluent  $z$ ; then  $\frac{z}{s} =$  Distance of the Center of Gravity from the Point of Suspension.

Ex. 1.

158. Let  $SB$  be a right Line or Cylinder,  $S$  the Point of Suspension;  $SB = x$ ; then  $\dot{z} = x\dot{x}$ , and  $z = \frac{1}{2}x^2$ ; therefore  $\frac{z}{s} = \frac{1}{2}x$ , for the Distance of the Center of Gravity  $SC$ .

Ex. 2.

159. In the Triangle  $SQD$ , whose Point of Suspension is  $S$ ; let  $SF$  bisect the opposite Side  $QD$ , then the Center  $C$  is in the Line  $SF$ ; draw  $AE$  parallel, and  $SG$  perpendicular to  $QD$ , put  $SF = a$ ,  $SB = x$ ,  $SI = v$ ,  $SG = b$ ,  $QD = b$ ,  $AE = y$ . By similar Triangles  $v = \frac{bx}{a}$ , and  $\dot{v} = \frac{b\dot{x}}{a}$ ,  $y = \frac{bx}{a}$ ; then  $\dot{z} = xy\dot{v} = \frac{bbx^2\dot{x}}{aa}$ ; and  $z = \frac{bbx^3}{3aa}$ . Also  $\dot{s} = y\dot{v} = \frac{bbx\dot{x}}{aa}$ , and  $s = \frac{bbx^2}{2aa}$ : Therefore  $\frac{z}{s} = \frac{2}{3}x$ , and when  $x = a$ ,  $\frac{z}{s} = \frac{2}{3}a = SC$ .

Ex. 3.

160. Let  $AM$  be the Arch of a Circle,  $s$  its Center,  $AD = b$ ,  $SE = r$ ,  $SB = x$ ,  $AM = v$ ,  $BM = y$ . It is evident the Center of Gravity of any Arch  $AFG$  is in the Line  $SE$  that bisects it. Whence  $\dot{z} = x\dot{v} =$  (by the Nature of the Circle)  $-r\dot{y}$ ; and  $z = -ry$ ; and the  
Fluent

Fluent corrected is  $z = by - ry$ . Whence  $\frac{z}{s} =$  FIG.

$\frac{rb - ry}{v}$ , and when  $y = 0$ ,  $\frac{z}{s} = \frac{rb}{v} = SC$ , the

Distance of the Center of Gravity of the Arch  $AEG$  from  $S$ .

Ex. 4.

For the Sector of a Circle  $MmS$ , whose Center and 161.

Point of Suspension is  $S$ ; let Arch  $Mm = c$ , Radius

$SM = r$ ,  $Mm = a$ ,  $SQ = x$ ,  $QDq = v$ . Then  $Qq =$

$\frac{ax}{r}$ , and by the last Example, the Distance of the

Center of Gravity of the Arch  $QDq$  from  $S$  is =

$\frac{ax^2}{rv}$ , therefore  $\dot{z} = \frac{ax^2 \dot{x}}{r}$ , and  $z = \frac{ax^3}{3r}$ ; there-

fore  $\frac{z}{s} = \frac{ax^3}{3r \times \frac{1}{2} xv} = \frac{2ax^2}{3rv} = \frac{2ax}{3c}$ ; and

when  $x = r$ , then  $SC = \frac{2ar}{3c}$ .

Ex. 5.

For the Circular Area  $PQD$ . Let  $SD$  or  $SE = r$ , 162.

$SQ = b$ ,  $PQ = c$ ,  $SB = x$ ,  $PA = v$ ,  $AB = y$ , by the Na-

ture of the Circle  $y = \sqrt{rr - xx}$ ; then  $\dot{z} = yx\dot{x} =$

$xx\dot{x}\sqrt{rr - xx}$ , and  $z = -\frac{1}{3} \times \frac{rr - xx^{\frac{3}{2}}}{\frac{3}{2}}$ ; corrected  $z =$

$\frac{rr - bb^{\frac{3}{2}}}{3} - \frac{rr - xx^{\frac{3}{2}}}{3} = \frac{c^3 - y^3}{3}$ . Also  $s =$  Area

$PABQ = \frac{vr + xy - cb^{\frac{1}{2}}}{2}$ ; whence  $\frac{z}{s} = \frac{2}{3} \times \frac{c^3 - y^3}{vr + xy - cb}$

$= Sc$ . And the Distance of the Center of Gravity of

the whole  $PADQ$  from  $S$  is  $= \frac{2c^3}{3vr - 3cb}$ .

Again in Respect of the Axis of Suspension  $SD$ ;

since the Center of Gravity of the describing Line  $y$ ,

is in the Middle of  $BA$ , therefore  $\dot{z} = \frac{1}{2} y \times y\dot{x} =$

$\frac{rr\dot{x} - x^2\dot{x}}{2}$ , whence  $z = \frac{r^2x}{2} - \frac{x^3}{3}$ . But (in  $Q$ ,

G g

$x = b$ ,

FIG.  $x=b$ ,  $z=0$ ) the Fluent corrected is  $z = \frac{3rrx-3rrb-x^3+b^3}{6}$ ; therefore  $\frac{z}{s} = \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{3r^2x-3r^2b-x^3+b^3}{vr+xy-cb}$ ; and when  $x=r$ ,  $\frac{2r^3-3r^2b+b^3}{3rv-3cb} =$  Distance of the Center of Gravity of the Semi-segment  $PADQ$  from  $QD$ .

## Ex. 6.

163. In the Parabola  $rx=yy$ , let  $SP=x$ ,  $PM=y$ , then in Respect of the Axis of Suspension  $ST$ ,  $\dot{z}=yxx\dot{x}=xx\sqrt{rx}$ ; and  $z=\frac{2}{3}xx\sqrt{rx}$ : And  $s=\frac{2}{3}xy=\frac{2}{3}x\sqrt{rx}$ ; therefore  $\frac{z}{s}=\frac{1}{2}x$  the Distance of the Center of Gravity from  $ST$ .

Again in Regard to the Axis of Suspension  $SP$ , because the Center of Gravity of the describing Line is in the Middle of  $MP$ , therefore  $\dot{z}=\frac{1}{2}yy\dot{x}=\frac{y^2y}{r}$ , and thence  $z=\frac{y^4}{4r}$ ; and  $s=\frac{2y^3}{3r}$ : Therefore  $\frac{z}{s}=\frac{1}{6}y$ , the Distance from  $SP$ .

## Ex. 7.

164. For the hyperbolic Area  $BCMP$ , between the Asymptotes. Let  $SP=b$ ,  $BC=c$ ,  $SP=x$ ,  $PM=y$ ,  $cb=xy$ . Then in Regard to the Axis  $SD$ ,  $\dot{z}=yxx\dot{x}=cbx\dot{x}$ , and  $z=cbx$ , but in  $B$ ,  $x=b$ , therefore by Correction  $z=cb \times \overline{x-b}$ . And  $\frac{z}{s}=\frac{cb \times \overline{x-b}}{\text{Area } BCMP}$ .

Again for the Axis of Suspension  $SP$ ,  $\dot{z}=\frac{1}{2}yy\dot{x}=\frac{ccbb}{2xx}\dot{x}$ , and  $z=\frac{-ccbb}{2x}=\frac{-cby}{2}$ ; corrected  $z=\frac{cb}{2} \times \overline{c-y}$  and  $\frac{z}{s}=\frac{cb \times \overline{c-y}}{2 \text{ Area } BCMP}$ .

## Ex. 8.

Let  $AMB$  be an Ellipsis,  $S$  the Center,  $AS=a$ ,  $SB=b$ ,  $SQ=y$ ,  $QM=x = \frac{a}{b} \sqrt{bb-yy}$ , then for the elliptic Space,  $\dot{z} = xy\dot{y} = \frac{ay\dot{y}}{b} \sqrt{bb-yy}$ ; and  $z = -\frac{a}{3b} \times \overline{bb-yy}^{\frac{3}{2}}$ , corrected  $z = \frac{abb}{3} - \frac{a}{3b} \times \overline{bb-yy}^{\frac{3}{2}}$ : Thence  $\frac{z}{s} = \frac{ab^3 - a \times \overline{bb-yy}^{\frac{3}{2}}}{3b \times \text{Area } SAMQ}$ .

FIG. 165.

Likewise for the Distance from  $SB$ ,  $\dot{z} = \frac{1}{2}xx\dot{y} = \frac{aay\dot{y}}{2} - \frac{aay^2\dot{y}}{2bb}$ , and  $z = \frac{aay\dot{y}}{2} - \frac{aay^3}{6bb}$ ; whence  $\frac{z}{s} = \frac{3bb^2ay - aay^3}{6bb \times \text{Area } SAMQ}$ .

## Ex. 9.

Let  $SMP$  be the hyperbolic Space, Transverse  $= 2a$ , Conjugate  $= 2b$ ,  $SP=x$ ,  $PM=y = \frac{b}{a} \sqrt{2ax+xx}$ , 163.

whence  $xx = 2aa + \frac{aa}{bb}yy - \frac{2aa}{b} \sqrt{bb+yy}$ ,  $xx\dot{y} = \frac{aa}{bb}y\dot{y} - \frac{aay\dot{y}}{b\sqrt{bb+yy}}$ ; whence  $\dot{z} = yxx\dot{y} = \frac{aa}{bb}y^2\dot{y} - \frac{aay^2\dot{y}}{b\sqrt{bb+yy}}$ , and  $z = \frac{aay^3}{3bb} - \frac{aay}{2b} \sqrt{bb+yy} + \frac{aab}{2} \times 2.30258 \text{Log. } y + \sqrt{bb+yy}$ ; whence  $\frac{z}{s} =$

$\frac{z}{\text{Area } SMP} = \text{Distance from } ST$ .

Then for the Distance from  $SP$ , we have  $\dot{z} = \frac{yy\dot{x}}{2} = \frac{bbx\dot{x}}{2aa} \times \frac{1}{2ax+xx}$ , and the Fluent  $z = \frac{bbxx}{2a} + \frac{bbx^3}{6aa}$ ; therefore  $\frac{z}{s} = \frac{3abbxx+bbx^3}{6aa \times \text{Area } SPM}$ .

## EX. 10.

- FIG. 166. For the Surface of a right Cone, let  $SD=f$ ,  $c=$  Circumference of the Base, Axis  $SB=d$ ,  $SM=v$ ,  $SF=x$ . Then it is plain it's Center of Gravity is in the Axis  $SB$ .  $\frac{cx}{d} =$  Circumference of the Circle  $MQ$ ; and by similar Triangles  $v = \frac{fx}{d}$ , and  $\dot{v} = \frac{f\dot{x}}{d}$ ; therefore  $\dot{z} = \frac{cx^2\dot{v}}{d} = \frac{cfx^2\dot{x}}{dd}$ ; and  $z = \frac{cfx^3}{3dd}$ ; also  $s = \frac{cxv}{2d} = \frac{cfxx}{2dd}$ : Therefore  $\frac{z}{s} = \frac{2}{3}x = SC$ .

## EX. 11.

166. For the Cone (or Pyramid)  $SDE$ , let the Base  $= b$ , the rest as in the last Example; then the Circle  $MQ = \frac{bxx}{dd}$ ; and  $\dot{z} = \frac{bx^3\dot{x}}{dd}$ , and  $z = \frac{bx^4}{4dd}$ ; also  $s = \frac{bx^3}{3dd}$ : Therefore  $\frac{z}{s} = \frac{3}{4}x = SC$  the Distance of the Center of Gravity from  $S$ .

## EX. 12.

167. Let  $SMD$  be a Sphere,  $SP=x$ ,  $PM=y$ , Radius  $=r$ ,  $c=3.1416$ , then  $y = \sqrt{2rx - xx}$ , and  $\dot{z} = cy^2x\dot{x} = 2crxx\dot{x} - cx^3\dot{x}$ ; therefore  $z = \frac{2crxx^3}{3} - \frac{cx^4}{4}$ ; and  $s = crx^2 - \frac{cx^3}{3}$  (by Ex. 3. Prob. XIV.); therefore  $\frac{z}{s} = \frac{8rx - 3xx}{12r - 4x}$  for the Distance of the Center of Gravity from  $S$ .

## EX. 13.

167. For the Spheroid  $SMD$ , whose Center is  $C$ , let  $SC=a$ ,  $CF=b$ ,  $SP=x$ ,  $PM=y$ ,  $c=3.1416$ , then  $yy = \frac{bb}{aa} \times 2ax - xx$ ; and  $\dot{z} = cyx\dot{x} = \frac{cbb}{aa} \times 2ax\dot{x} - x^2\dot{x}$ ; and



and  $z = \frac{cbb}{aa} \times \frac{2}{3}ax^3 - \frac{1}{4}x^4$ ; and  $s = \frac{cbb}{aa} \times \frac{1}{3}ax^3 - \frac{1}{4}x^4$ ; FIG.

$$\text{and } \frac{z}{s} = \frac{8ax - 3xx}{12a - 4x}.$$

Ex. 14.

To find the Center of Gravity of the Solid SBDm, 168.  
generated by a partial Revolution of the Parabola SMD  
about the Axis SB.

Let  $s$  be the Point of Suspension, let  $SB = d$ ,  
 $BD = b$ ,  $SP = x$ ,  $PM = yax = yy$ , Arch  
 $Dd = c$ ; then Arch  $Mm = \frac{cy}{b}$ ; therefore  $\dot{z} =$   
 $\frac{cyy}{2b} \dot{x} = \frac{cax^2 \dot{x}}{2b}$ ; and  $z = \frac{cax^3}{6b}$ ; and  $s = \frac{cax^2}{4b}$ ,  
therefore  $\frac{z}{s} = \frac{2}{3}x$ , the Distance from  $ST$ .

Again for it's Distance from  $SB$ , let Chord  $Dd = f$ ,  
then Chord  $Mm = \frac{fy}{b}$ ; and by Ex. 4. the Distance  
of the Center of Gravity of the Sector  $PMm$  from  
 $P = \frac{2fy}{3c}$ ; therefore  $\dot{z} = \frac{fy^3 \dot{x}}{3b} = \frac{2fy^4 \dot{y}}{3ab}$ ; and  
 $z = \frac{2fy^5}{15ab}$ ; therefore  $\frac{z}{s} = \frac{8fy^5}{15caax^2} = \frac{8fy}{15c}$ ,  
the Distance of the Center of Gravity from  $SP$ , and in  
the Plane that passes through the Axis and bisects the  
Base.

Ex. 15.

Let the Hyperbola CM revolve round the Affymptote 169.  
 $SP$ , and describe an Hyperboloid CMB: Let  $SB = b$ ,  
 $BC = d$ ,  $SP = x$ ,  $PM = y$ ,  $c = 3$ , 1416,  $bd = xy$ ; and  
 $\dot{z} = cyyx \dot{x} = \frac{bbddc \dot{x}}{x}$ , whence  $z = bbddc \text{ Log. } x$ :

And corrected  $z = bbddc \text{ Log. } \frac{x}{b}$ : Also  $\dot{s} = cyy \dot{x} =$

$$\frac{cbbdd \dot{x}}{xx}$$
; and  $s = -\frac{cbbdd}{x}$ , and corrected  $s =$   
 $cbbdd$

FIG.  $cbbdd \times \frac{x-b}{bx}$ ; therefore  $\frac{z}{s} = \frac{bx}{x-b} \times \text{Log.} \frac{x}{b}$   
 = Distance of the Center of Gravity of the Solid from  
 SA.

Ex. 16.

163. Let the Solid be an Hyperboloid, Transverse =  $2a$ ,  
 Conjugate =  $2b$ ,  $c = 3.1416$ ,  $SP = x$ ,  $PM = y$ , =  
 $\frac{b}{a} \sqrt{2ax + xx}$ ; whence  $\dot{z} = cyx\dot{x} = \frac{cbb\dot{x}}{aa} \times \frac{2ax^2 + x^3}{2ax + xx}$ ;  
 whence  $z = \frac{cbb}{aa} \times \frac{\frac{2}{3}ax^3 + \frac{1}{4}x^4}{2ax + xx}$ ; also  $\dot{s} = \frac{cbb}{aa} \dot{x} \times$   
 $\frac{2ax + xx}{2ax + xx}$ ; and  $s = \frac{cbb}{aa} \times \frac{axx + \frac{1}{3}x^3}{2ax + xx}$ ; therefore  $\frac{z}{s} =$   
 $\frac{8ax + 3xx}{12a + 4x}$  = Distance of the Center of Gravity from  
 the Vertex S.

## P R O B. XVIII.

To find the Centers of Percussion and Oscillation.

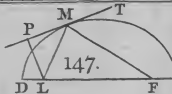
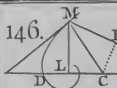
The Center of Percussion is that Point in the Axis of a vibrating Body, which striking against an immovable Obstacle, the Body shall incline to neither Side, but rest as it were in Equilibrio, on that Point.

And the Center of Oscillation is the Point in the Axis of a vibrating Body, in which if a small Body or Particle be placed, it shall perform it's Vibrations after the same Manner, in the same Time, and with the same angular Velocity as the whole Body.

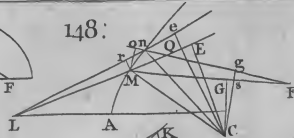
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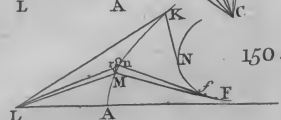
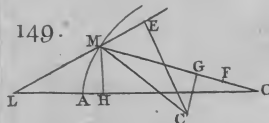
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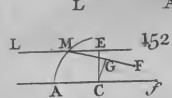
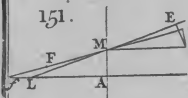
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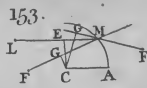
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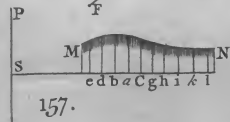
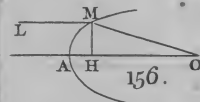
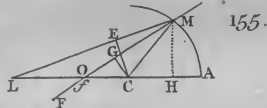
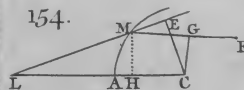
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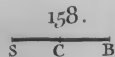
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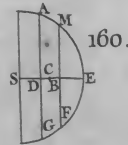
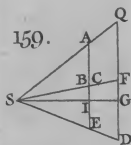
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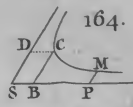
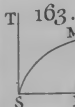
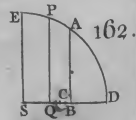
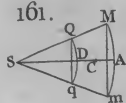
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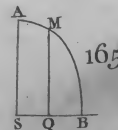
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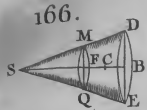
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Center of Percussion; through  $CO$  draw the Plane in FIG.

which the Center of Gravity moves, and imagine the Body to be divided into innumerable small Prisms, all perpendicular to this Plane, and let them be supposed to be reduced to, or situated in, the Points where they intersect this Plane; and let  $p$  be one of these small Prisms. Draw  $pf$  perpendicular to  $CO$ , and  $pd$  perpendicular to  $Cp$ ; then  $pd$  will be the Direction of  $p$ 's Motion as it revolves about  $C$ ; and the Body being stopt at  $O$ ,  $p$  will urge the Point  $d$  forward, with a Force proportional to it's Magnitude and Velocity, that is as  $p \times Cp$ ; therefore the Force where-with  $p$  acts at  $d$  in a Direction perpendicular to  $CO$ , will be  $p \times Cf$ . And the Force by which  $p$  endeavours to turn the Body about  $O$ , will be as  $p \times Cf \times do$ , or  $p \times Cf \times CO - Cd$ , that is as  $p \times Cf \times CO - p \times Cp^2$ . Now since the Sum of all these Forces to turn the Body about  $O$  must be  $= 0$ , therefore all the  $p \times Cf \times CO - p \times Cp^2 = 0$ , or all the  $p \times Cf \times CO =$  all the  $p \times Cp^2$ ; therefore  $CO = \frac{\text{Sum of all the } p \times Cp^2}{\text{Sum of all the } p \times Cf}$ .

For the Center of Oscillation. Through the Centers of Motion  $C$  and Gravity  $G$  draw the Axis  $CO$ , and let  $O$  be the Center of Oscillation. Draw the horizontal Line  $Cr$ , and  $Or$ ,  $Gg$ ,  $pn$  perpendicular thereto, and  $pf$  perpendicular to  $CO$ .

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By Reason of the equal angular Velocities of all the Particles of the Body; the absolute Motion of any Particle  $q$  (and consequently the Force that generates it) will be as  $Cq \times q$ ; and a Force acting at  $n$  that can generate that Motion in  $q$  is as  $\frac{Cq^2 \times q}{Cn}$ ; let  $s =$  Sum of all the  $Cq^2 \times q$  in the Body, and let this be as (the Weight of) the Particle  $p$ . If the Weight of the Particle  $p$  generates any Motion in the whole Body  $AD$ , then  $\frac{Cq^2 \times q}{s} p =$  that Part of the Gravity of  $p$  which generates the Motion of the Particle  $q$ ; and the

FIG. the Motion of  $q$  generated by that Force is  $\frac{Cn}{Cq} \times$   
 171.  $\frac{Cq^2 \times q}{s} p$  or  $\frac{Cn \times Cq \times q}{s} p$  and the Velocity of  $q$  is  
 $\frac{Cn \times Cq \times p}{s}$ , and its angular Velocity  $\frac{Cn \times p}{s}$ . After  
 the same Manner any other Force  $\frac{Cq^2 \times q}{s} p$  acting  
 at  $n$ , will generate the same angular Velocity in  
 any other Particle  $q$ ; and consequently the Sum of  
 all the Forces  $\frac{Cq^2 \times q}{s} p$  or the Weight  $p$  will generate  
 the same angular Velocity in all the Particles  $q$  toge-  
 ther or in the whole Body. Now since the Weight  
 of any Particle  $p$  will generate an angular Velocity in the  
 Body  $AD$  about  $C$ , which is as  $\frac{Cn \times p}{\text{Sum of all the } Cp^2 \times p}$ ;  
 therefore the angular Velocity which all the Particles  
 $p$  can generate is as  $\frac{\text{the Sum of all the } Cn \times p}{\text{Sum of all the } Cp^2 \times p}$ . In  
 like Manner the angular Velocity which the Gravity  
 of a Particle  $p$  placed in  $O$  would generate in itself is  
 as  $\frac{Cr \times p}{CO^2 \times p}$  or as  $\frac{Cr}{CO^2}$ . But because of the E-  
 quality of the Vibrations and correspondent Accelera-  
 tions, this last must be equal to the Sum of all the for-  
 mer; whence  $\frac{\text{Sum of } Cn \times p}{\text{Sum of } Cp^2 \times p} = \frac{Cr}{CO^2}$ : But by  
 the Nature of the Center of Gravity, the Sum of all  
 the  $Cn \times p = Cg \times \text{Body } AD = \frac{Cg}{CG} \times CG \times \text{Body } AD$   
 $= \frac{Cr}{CO} \times \text{Sum of all the } Cf \times p$ . Therefore  $\frac{Cr}{CO} \times$   
 $\frac{\text{Sum } Cf \times p}{\text{Sum } Cp^2 \times p} = \frac{Cr}{CO^2}$ ; whence  $CO =$   
 $\frac{\text{Sum of all } Cf \times p}{\text{Sum of all } Cp^2 \times p}$ : And therefore the Center of Of-  
 cillation is the same with the Center of Percussion.

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Since Sum of  $Cf \times p = CG \times \text{Body } AD$ ; therefore

$$CO = \frac{\text{Sum of } Cp^2 \times p}{CG \times \text{Body } AD}.$$

Also since  $Cp^2 = CG^2 + Gp^2 - 2CG \times Gf$ , therefore the Sum of all  $Cp^2 \times p = \text{Sum of all } \overline{GC^2 + Gp^2} \times p - \text{Sum of all } 2CG \times Gf \times p$ . But by the Nature of the Center of Gravity, the Sum of all the  $Gf \times p = 0$ ; therefore Sum  $Cp^2 \times p = \text{Sum } CG^2 \times p + \text{Sum } Gp^2 \times p = CG^2 \times \text{Body } AD + \text{Sum } Gp^2 \times p$ . Therefore  $CO = \frac{\text{Sum } Cp^2 \times p}{CG \times \text{Body } AD} = CG + \frac{\text{Sum of } Gp^2 \times p}{CG \times \text{Body } AD}$ . And  $GO = \frac{\text{Sum of all } Gp^2 \times p}{CG \times \text{Body } AD}$ .

Therefore if  $s = \text{Body}$ ,  $Cp = x$ ,  $Cf = v$ ,  $Gp = z$ , then the Sum of all the  $Cp^2 \times p = \text{Sum of } x^2 s' = \text{Fluent of } x^2 s$ , and Sum of  $Cf \times p = \text{Sum of } v s' = \text{Fluent of } v s$ . And Sum of  $Gp^2 \times p = \text{Sum } z^2 s' = \text{Fluent of } z^2 s$ ; therefore  $CO = \frac{\text{Fluent of } x^2 s'}{\text{Fluent of } v s'} = \frac{\text{Fluent of } x^2 s}{CG \times \text{Body } AD} = CG + \frac{\text{Fluent of } z^2 s}{CG \times \text{Body } AD}$ .

### R U L E.

Suppose the Body to be described or generated by a Plane perpendicular to the Axis of the Body, or parallel to the Axis of Motion. Then

1. Multiply the Fluxion (or if the Case require, the second Fluxion) of the Body by the Square of the Distance (of the generating Plane) from the Axis of Motion, and find the Fluent (once or twice, as there is Occasion) by Help of the Equation of the Figure; which call F.

Or thus: Imagine a Line drawn through the Center of Gravity of the Figure parallel to the Axis of Motion; then multiply the Fluxion (or second Fluxion) of the Body into the Square of the Distance (of the generating Plane &c) from this Line, and by Help of the Equation of the Figure, find the Fluent (once or twice) which call G.

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2. Multiply

FIG. 2. Multiply the Fluxion of the Body by the Distance from the Point of Suspension to the Point where the generating Plane (or Line &c) cuts the Axis of the Body; and find the Fluent  $M$ . And let  $d$  = Distance from the Point of Suspension to the Center of Gravity, and  $B$  = the Body. Then  $\frac{F}{M}$  or  $\frac{F}{dB}$  or  $d + \frac{G}{dB}$  will be the Distance of the Center of Percussion or Oscillation from the Point of Suspension.

## SCHOLIUM.

If the Center of Percussion or Oscillation be made the Center of Suspension, then the former Point or Center of Suspension becomes the Center of Percussion; if the Plane of it's Motion remain the same. For  $\frac{G}{B} = d \times$  Distance of the Centers of Gravity and Percussion.

COR. The Center of Pressure of any Plane immersed in a Fluid and sustaining that Fluid, is the same with the Center of Percussion of that Plane; the Axis of Motion being the Interfection of this Plane with the Surface of the Fluid. The Center of Pressure is that Point against which a Force being applied = Sum of all the Pressures, shall just sustain them; so as the Plane shall incline to neither Side.

172. Through the Center of Gravity of the Plane draw  $AO$  perpendicular to  $AS$  the Interfection of the Plane and Surface of the Fluid, and let  $cd$  be parallel to  $AS$ . Then the Pressure against any small Part  $cd$  is as  $cd \times Ab$ , and it's Force to turn the Plane about  $O$  the Center of Pressure is  $cd \times Ab \times bO = cd \times Ab \times AO - cd \times Ab^2$ , and the sum of all these must be equal to 0, therefore  $AO = \frac{\text{Sum of } cd \times Ab^2}{\text{Sum of } cd \times Ab}$ , therefore  $O$  is the same with the Center of Oscillation and Percussion, and consequently is to be found the same Way.

Example 1.



## Example 1.

Let  $CB$  be a right Line,  $CB=x$ , then  $\dot{F}=x^2\dot{x}$ , FIG. 173.  
 and  $F=\frac{x^3}{3}$ ; also  $\dot{M}=x\dot{x}$ , and  $M=\frac{x^2}{2}$ ;  
 whence  $\frac{F}{M}=\frac{2}{3}x=CO$ .

## Ex. 2.

In a Parallelogram where the Axis of Motion is in 174.  
 the Plane of the Figure,  $CB=x$ ,  $BD=b$ , then  $\dot{F}=bx^2\dot{x}$ , and  $F=\frac{bx^3}{3}$ ; also  $\dot{M}=bx\dot{x}$ , and  $M=\frac{bx^2}{2}$ ;  
 whence  $\frac{F}{M}=\frac{2}{3}x=CO$ .

## Ex. 3.

Let  $AD$  be the Arch of a Circle, the Center  $C$  the 175.  
 Point of Suspension, and the Axis of Motion perpendicular to it's Plane; let Arch  $ABD=s$ , Cord  $AD=c$ ,  $CB=r$ . Then  $F=rrs$ ; and by Ex. 3.  
 Prob. XVII,  $d=\frac{rc}{s}$ ; therefore  $\frac{F}{dB}=\frac{F}{ds}=\frac{rs}{c}$ .

## Ex. 4.

Let  $AD$  be a right Line, the Axis of Motion per- 176.  
 pendicular to the Plane passing through it.  $CB=d$ ,  $BA=y$ , then  $\dot{F}=\dot{d}d+y\dot{y}\times 2y$ , and  $F=2d\dot{d}y+\frac{2}{3}y^3$ ;  
 also  $M=2d\dot{y}$ ; whence  $\frac{F}{M}=\frac{2d\dot{d}y+\frac{2}{3}y^3}{2d\dot{y}}=d+\frac{yy}{3d}$ .

## Ex. 5.

For the Periphery of a Circle, let  $CD=d$ , Radius 177.  
 $AD=r$ , Circumference  $=c$ . If the Axis of Motion be perpendicular to it's Plane, then  $G=rrc$ , and  
 $d+\frac{G}{dB}=d+\frac{rrc}{dc}=d+\frac{rr}{d}$ .

But if the Axis of Motion be parallel to the Plane of the Circle, let  $DE=z$ ,  $PQ=s$ , then  $\dot{G}=z^2\dot{s}$   
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FIG. =  $\frac{4rz^2\dot{z}}{\sqrt{rr-zz}}$  and the Fluent  $G = \frac{rrc}{2}$ , for the whole Circle: Therefore  $d + \frac{G}{dB} = d + \frac{rr}{2d}$ .

Ex. 6.

177. For the Plane of the Circle, the Axis of Motion perpendicular to it's Plane,  $DE=z$ , Circumference at  $E$  =  $\frac{cz}{r}$ , then  $\dot{G} = \frac{cz^2\dot{z}}{r}$ , and  $G = \frac{cz^4}{4r} = \frac{cr^3}{4}$ .

Then  $d + \frac{G}{dB} = d + \frac{cr^3}{4dB} = d + \frac{rr}{2d}$ .

And if the Axis of Motion be parallel to the Plane of it,  $\dot{G} = 4z^2\dot{z}\sqrt{rr-zz}$ , whence  $G = \frac{cr^3}{8}$ ; and  $d + \frac{G}{dB} = d + \frac{cr^3}{8dB} = d + \frac{rr}{4d}$ ,

Ex. 7.

178. For the Periphery of the Circle, parallel to the Horizon, let the Axis of Motion be parallel to  $ED$ , Radius  $DB=r$ ,  $BA=v$ ,  $DL=z$ ,  $CD=d$ , then  $\dot{G} = 4xz\dot{v} = \frac{4rzz\dot{z}}{\sqrt{rr-zz}}$ , and the whole Fluent  $G = \frac{rrc}{2}$ ; then  $d + \frac{G}{dB} = d + \frac{rrc}{2dc} = d + \frac{rr}{2d}$ .

Ex. 8.

178. For the Plane of the Circle, whose Point of Suspension is in  $CD$  perpendicular to it's Plane. Let  $AL=x$ , the rest as before, then  $\dot{v} = x\dot{z}$ , and  $\dot{G} = 4xz^2\dot{z} = 4z^2\dot{z} \times \sqrt{rr-zz}$ , and the whole Fluent  $G = \frac{cr^3}{8}$ ; and  $d + \frac{G}{dB} = d + \frac{rr}{4d}$ .

Ex. 9.

179. In an Isocles Triangle, where the Axis of Motion is parallel to the Base, let  $CD=a$ ,  $CA=x$ ,  $BE=f$ , then

then  $IK = \frac{fx}{a}$ , and  $\dot{F} = \frac{fx^3\dot{x}}{a}$ ; whence  $F = \frac{fx^4}{4a}$ ;

also  $\dot{M} = \frac{fx^2\dot{x}}{a}$ , and  $M = \frac{fx^3}{3a}$ ; therefore  $\frac{F}{M} = \frac{\frac{fx^4}{4a}}{\frac{fx^3}{3a}} = \frac{3}{4}x$ .

If the Axis at  $C$  be perpendicular to the Plane of the Triangle, let  $AQ = v$ , then  $\dot{F} = \overline{xx + vv} \times \dot{x}\dot{v}$ , and  $\dot{F} = x^2\dot{x}\dot{v} + \frac{v^3\dot{x}}{3} = (\text{because } v = \frac{fx}{a}) \frac{fx^3\dot{x}}{a} + \frac{f^3x^3\dot{x}}{a^3}$ ; whence  $F = \frac{fx^4}{4a} + \frac{f^3x^4}{4a^3} = \frac{fa^3 + f^3a}{4}$ ; therefore  $\frac{F}{M} = \frac{3}{4} \times \frac{aa + ff}{a}$ .

Ex. 10.

In the Parabola  $CAF$ ,  $AC = x$ ,  $AF = y$ ,  $AQ = v$ ,  $ax = yy$ ; let the Axis in  $C$  be parallel to  $AF$ , then  $\dot{F} = yx^2\dot{x}$ ,  $= x^2\dot{x}\sqrt{ax}$ , and  $F = \frac{2}{7}x^3\sqrt{ax}$ ; and  $\dot{M} = yx\dot{x} = x\dot{x}\sqrt{ax}$ , and  $M = \frac{2}{5}x^2\sqrt{ax}$ . Therefore  $\frac{F}{M} = \frac{5}{7}x$ .

If the Axis be perpendicular to it's Plane; then  $\dot{F} = \overline{xx + vv} \times \dot{x}\dot{v}$ , and  $\dot{F} = x^2\dot{x}\dot{v} + \frac{v^3\dot{x}}{3} = yx^2\dot{x} + \frac{y^3\dot{x}}{3} = x^2\dot{x}\sqrt{ax} + \frac{axx\sqrt{ax}}{3}$ ; whence  $F = \frac{2}{7}x^3\sqrt{ax} + \frac{2}{15}ax^2\sqrt{ax}$ . Therefore  $\frac{F}{M} = \frac{5}{7}x + \frac{1}{3}a$ .

Ex. 11.

Let  $AB$  be the Surface of a Sphere,  $AB = s$ ,  $BE = z$ ,  $181\frac{1}{2}$   
Radius  $AD = r$ ,  $c =$  Circumference. Then Circumference of  $BE = \frac{cz}{r}$ , and  $\dot{G} = \frac{cz^3\dot{z}}{r} = \frac{cz^3}{r} \times \frac{r\dot{z}}{\sqrt{rr - zz}}$ ; whence  $G = \frac{2cr^3}{3} - \frac{2cr^2}{c} - \frac{cz^2}{3}\sqrt{rr - zz} = \frac{2cr^3}{3}$ . And  $B = rc$ ; therefore  $d + \frac{G}{aB} = d + \frac{2rr}{3d}$ .

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182.

Let  $ABQD$  be a Parallelepipedon, the Axis of Motion perpendicular to the Plane  $ABQD$ ; let  $AB=2a$ ,  $AD=2b$ , Breadth  $=c$ ,  $GS=x$ ,  $SZ=y$ ; then  $\dot{G} = \sqrt{xx+yy} \times 4cx\dot{y}$ , and  $\dot{G} = 4cx^2y\dot{x} + \frac{4cy^3\dot{x}}{3} = 4cbx^2\dot{x} + \frac{4}{3}cb^3\dot{x}$ : Therefore  $G = \frac{4}{3}cbx^3 + \frac{4}{3}cb^3x = \frac{4}{3}cha^3 + \frac{4}{3}cb^3a$ ; also  $B = 4acb$ : Therefore  $d + \frac{G}{dB} = d + \frac{aa+bb}{3d}$ .

Ex. 13.

183.

In a Cylinder let  $CA=x$ ,  $AD=r$ ,  $Ae=y$ ,  $CH=a$ , the Axis of Motion parallel to  $AB$ ; then  $\dot{F} = \sqrt{xx+yy} \times 4x\dot{y}\sqrt{rr-yy}$ , and the whole Fluent  $\dot{F} = \frac{rcx^2\dot{x}}{2} + \frac{r^3cx\dot{x}}{8}$ . And  $F = \frac{rcx^3}{6} + \frac{r^3cx}{8}$ ; which corrected gives  $F = \frac{rcx^3-rca^3}{6} + \frac{r^3cx-r^3ca}{8}$ , and  $B = \frac{rc}{x-a} \times \frac{rc}{4}$ , then will  $\frac{F}{dB} = \frac{2x^3-2a^3}{3x^2-3aa} + \frac{rrx-rra}{2x^2-2aa} = \frac{4xx+4ax+4aa+3rr}{6x+6a}$ .

Ex. 14.

184.

Let  $CKB$  be a Pyramid, whose Base is a Parallelogram, and Axis of Motion in  $C$  perpendicular to the Plane  $CEF$ ; let it's Altitude  $=a$ ,  $AB=f$ ,  $AD=c$ ,  $CH=x$ ,  $HL=y$ , then  $KI = \frac{cx}{a}$ , and  $EF = \frac{fx}{a}$ , and  $\dot{F} = \sqrt{xx+yy} \times \frac{cx\dot{x}\dot{y}}{a}$ ; and  $\dot{F} = \frac{cx^3\dot{x}}{a}y + \frac{cxxy^3}{3a} = \frac{cfx^4\dot{x}}{aa} + \frac{cf^3x^4\dot{x}}{12a^4}$ . And  $F = \frac{cfx^5}{5aa} + \frac{cf^3x^5}{60a^4}$ . Also  $\dot{M} = \frac{cfx^3\dot{x}}{aa}$ , and  $M = \frac{cfx^4}{4aa}$ ; whence  $\frac{F}{M} = \frac{4}{3}x + \frac{ff}{15aa}x = \frac{12aa+ff}{15a}$ .

Ex. 15.

## Ex. 15.

In a right Cone, let  $CA=g$ , Altitude  $=a$ , Radius FIG. 185.  
of the Base  $=f$ ,  $AB=x$ ,  $BI=z$ ,  $c=3.1416$ , then

$$BE \text{ or } BD = \frac{fx}{a}, \quad IE = \sqrt{\frac{ffxx}{aa}} - zz; \text{ then } \dot{F} =$$

$$\sqrt{g^2 + x^2} + zz \times 4\dot{x}\dot{z} \times \sqrt{\frac{ffxx}{aa}} - zz, \text{ and } \dot{F} = \overline{g+x^2}$$

$$\times \frac{cffx^2\dot{x}}{aa} + \frac{cf^4x^4\dot{x}}{4a^4}, \text{ consequently } F = : \frac{1}{3}ggcx^3 +$$

$$\frac{1}{3}gcx^4 + \frac{1}{5}cx^5 + \frac{cffx^5}{20aa} : \times \frac{ff}{aa}; \text{ also } \dot{M} = \overline{g+x} \times$$

$$\frac{cffx^2\dot{x}}{aa}, \text{ and } M = : \frac{1}{3}gcx^3 + \frac{1}{5}cx^4 : \times \frac{ff}{aa};$$

$$\text{whence } \frac{F}{M} = \frac{20gg+30ga+12aa+3ff}{20g+15a}.$$

## Ex. 16.

For the Sphere  $AS$ , draw the Diameter  $AS$  parallel 181.  
to the Axis of Motion at  $C$ ; let  $AD=r$ ,  $DE=x$ ,  
 $Ef=z$ ,  $EB=y$ ,  $c=3.1416$ . Then  $\dot{G}=2cz\dot{x}\dot{z}$ , and

$$\dot{G} = \frac{cz^4\dot{x}}{2} = \frac{1}{2}cy^4\dot{x} = \frac{cx^5}{2} \times \overline{r^4 - 2rrxx + x^4};$$

$$\text{whence } G = \frac{1}{2}cr^4x - \frac{1}{3}cr^2x^3 + \frac{1}{5}cx^5. \text{ Also } cyx\dot{x} =$$

$$\text{Fluxion of the Solid} = c\dot{x} \times \overline{rr - xx}. \text{ Therefore the}$$

$$\text{Solid} = crrx - \frac{1}{3}cx^3 = B. \text{ Whence } \frac{G}{dB} =$$

$$\frac{15r^4 - 10r^2x^2 + 3x^4}{30rr - 10xx} : \times d$$

$$\frac{G}{dB} = \frac{2rr}{5d} = DO; \text{ and } CO = d + \frac{2rr}{5d}.$$

## Ex. 17.

Let  $AD$  be a Paraboloid;  $CA=a$ ,  $AB=x$ ,  $BD=y$ , 186.  
 $BI=z$ ,  $c=3.1416$ ,  $rx=yy$ . Then  $\dot{F} = : \overline{a+x^2} + zz : \times$

$$4\dot{x}\dot{z} \times \sqrt{yy - zz}; \text{ therefore } \dot{F} = \overline{a+x^2} \times cyx\dot{x} + \frac{cy^4}{4} \dot{x} =$$

$$\overline{a+x^2} \times crx\dot{x} + \frac{1}{4}cr^2x^2\dot{x}; \text{ whence } F = \frac{1}{2}caarxx + \frac{2}{3}carx^3 +$$

FIG.  $+\frac{1}{4}crx^4 + \frac{1}{12}crrx^3$ . Also  $\dot{M} = \overline{a+x} \times cy^2\dot{x} = \frac{a+x}{F} \times$   
 $crx\dot{x}$ , and  $M = \frac{1}{2}carx^2 + \frac{1}{3}crx^3$ . Therefore  $\frac{F}{M} =$   

$$\frac{6a^2 + 8ax + rx + 3xx}{6a + 4x}$$

## PROB. XIX.

187. To find the Law of centripetal Force requisite to cause a Body to move in a given Curve BF.

Let B be the Place of the Body moving in the Orbit BF by a Force directed to the given Point C. Draw the Tangent BY, and the Radius CB, CQ, infinitely near each other, QR parallel to CB, and CN Perpendiculars to BY. Let the Distance CB=D, Perpendicular CN=P, then the infinitely small Line QR will be as the Force and Square of the Time conjunctly, that is as the Force and Square of the

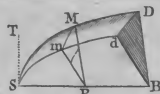
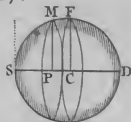
Area CBQ; therefore the Force is as  $\frac{QR}{CBQ^2}$  or  $\frac{QR}{QB^2 \times P^2}$ , that is (because  $P : D :: Qn : QR =$

$\frac{Qn \times D}{P}$ ) as  $\frac{Qn \times D}{QB^2 \times P^3}$ . But  $\frac{QB^2}{2Qn} =$  Radius of Curvature in the Point B, and the same Radius is also  $\frac{DD}{\dot{P}}$  by Prob. V. wherefore the Force is as  $\frac{\dot{P}}{2P^3\dot{D}}$

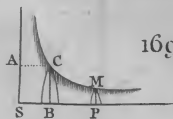
that is (supposing  $\dot{D}$  to be given) as the Fluxion of  $\frac{-1}{PP}$ .

Therefore to find the Law of centripetal Force, let  $D =$  Distance from the Center of Force,  $P =$  Perpendicular distance

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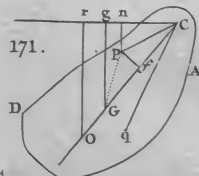
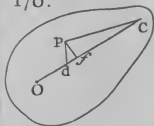


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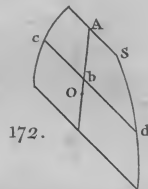


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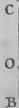


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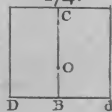


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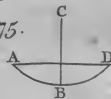
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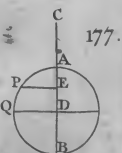
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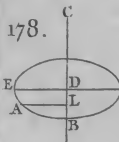


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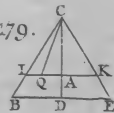


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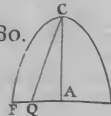
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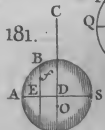
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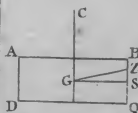
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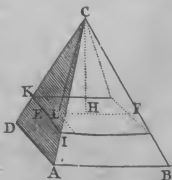
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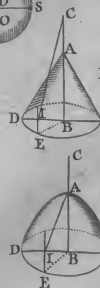
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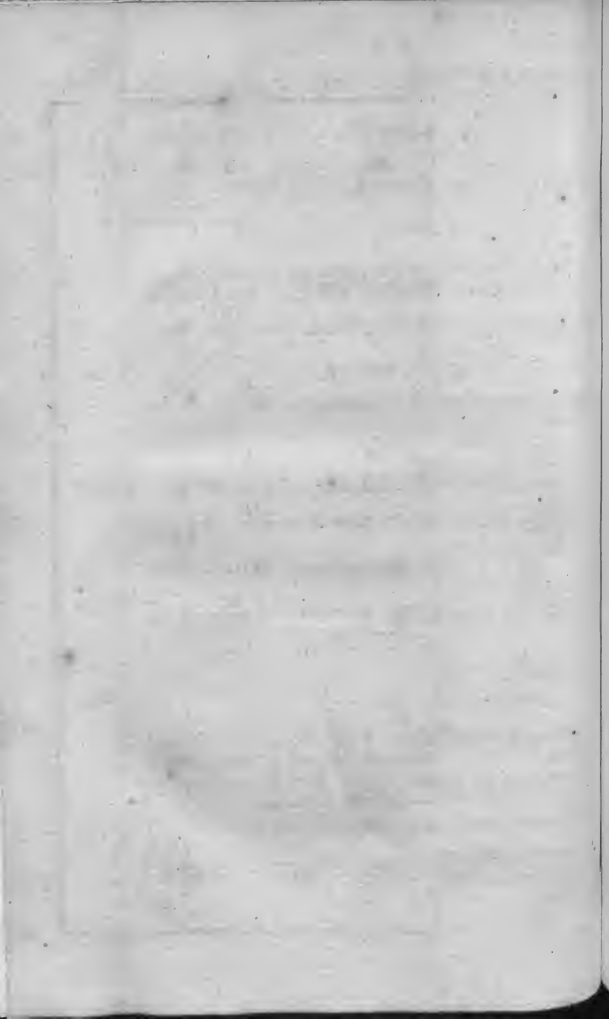
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FIG.

dicular on the Tangent: Compute the Value of  $P$  in Terms of  $D$ , by the Nature of the Curve; then find the Fluxion of  $\frac{-1}{PP}$ , making  $\dot{D}=1$ , and then expunge all Quantities as far as possible, except  $D$ , and you will have  $F$ , the Law of centripetal Force required.

Ex. 1.

Let  $C$  the Center of Force be in the Circumference of the Circle  $CBD$ ; Diameter  $CD=2r$ , the Triangles  $CBD$  and  $CBY$  are similar, whence  $P = \frac{DD}{2r}$ , therefore  $\frac{-1}{PP} = \frac{-4rr}{D^4}$ , therefore  $F \propto \frac{16r^2\dot{D}}{D^5} \propto \frac{1}{D^5}$ ; that is, the Force is reciprocally as the fifth Power of  $D$ . 188.

Ex. 2.

Let  $DB$  be a Circle; and  $C$  at an infinite Distance,  $AE=x$ ,  $EB=y$ ,  $AD=r$ , then  $P = \frac{Dy}{r}$ , and  $\frac{-1}{PP} = \frac{-rr}{DD} y^{-2}$ , whose Fluxion (because  $D$  is a standing Quantity) is  $\frac{2r^2}{DD} y^{-3}\dot{y}$ , therefore  $F \propto \frac{2r^2}{D^2} y^{-3}$  or  $F \propto \frac{1}{y^3}$ . 189.

Ex. 3.

Let  $BF$  be an Ellipsis;  $C$  the Focus,  $E$  the Center; draw  $BE$  and it's Conjugate  $AE$ , and let the transverse Axis  $= 2r$ , Conjugate  $= 2c$ ; then by the Property of the Ellipsis  $2rD - DD$  the Rectangle of the focal Distances from  $B$ , is  $= AE^2$ , also  $AE$  or  $\sqrt{2rD - DD}$   $: c :: D : P = \frac{cD}{\sqrt{2rD - DD}}$ ; and  $\frac{-1}{PP} = \frac{-2rD + DD}{ccDD}$  190.

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FIG.  $= \frac{-2r}{ccD} + \frac{1}{cc}$ , whose Fluxion is  $\frac{2r\dot{D}}{ccDD}$ , therefore  
 $F \propto \frac{2r}{ccDD}$  or  $\frac{1}{DD}$ .

Ex. 4.

191. Let  $C$  be the Center of the Ellipsis; then by the Nature of the Figure  $AC^2 + CB^2 = rr + cc$ , and  $AC = \sqrt{rr+cc-DD}$ ; also  $AC : c :: r : P = \frac{cr}{\sqrt{rr+cc-DD}}$ ; therefore  $-\frac{1}{PP} = \frac{-rr-cc+DD}{ccrr}$ , whose Fluxion is  $\frac{2D\dot{D}}{ccrr}$ ; therefore  $F \propto \frac{2D}{ccrr} \propto D$ . That is, the Force is as the Distance.

Ex. 5.

192. Let  $BA$  be an Hyperbola,  $C$  the Focus. Proceeding as in the Ellipsis, we shall find  $P = \frac{cD}{\sqrt{2rD+DD}}$ , and  $-\frac{1}{P^2} = \frac{-2rD-DD}{ccDD} = -\frac{2r}{ccD} - \frac{1}{cc}$ , whose Fluxion is  $\frac{2r\dot{D}}{ccDD}$ , therefore  $F \propto \frac{2r}{ccDD}$  or  $F \propto \frac{1}{DD}$ .

And after the same Manner if the Force be in the other Focus, there will be found  $P = \frac{cD}{\sqrt{DD-2rD}}$ , and the Force  $F \propto \frac{-2r}{ccDD} \propto \frac{-1}{DD}$ , and is therefore a centrifugal Force.

Ex. 6.

193. Let  $AB$  be an Hyperbola,  $C$  the Center, Transverse  $= 2r$ , Conjugate  $= 2c$ ,  $b$  = half the Conjugate belonging to  $CB$ . Then by the Property of the Hyperbola

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$bb-DD=rr-cc$ , and  $b=\sqrt{rr-cc+DD}$ ; and FIG.

$b:c::r:P=\frac{cr}{\sqrt{rr-cc+DD}}$ . Consequently —

$$\frac{1}{PP} = \frac{-rr+cc-DD}{ccrr}, \text{ whose Fluxion is } \frac{-2DD}{ccrr},$$

therefore  $F \propto \frac{-2D}{ccrr} \propto -D$ , and is therefore a centrifugal Force.

Ex. 7.

Let  $AB$  be a Parabola,  $C$  the Focus,  $r$  = Latus 194.

Rectum; by the Property of the Figure  $P=\sqrt{\frac{rD}{4}}$ ,

whence  $\frac{1}{PP} = \frac{-4}{rD}$ , whose Fluxion is  $\frac{4\dot{D}}{rDD}$ ;

therefore  $F \propto \frac{1}{DD}$ .

Ex. 8.

Let  $AB$  be a Parabola,  $C$  the Center of Force at 195.  
an infinite Distance in the Axis.  $AD=x$ ,  $DB=y$ ,

$rx=yy$ , then  $P=\frac{Dy}{\sqrt{4xx+ax}}$ , and  $\frac{-1}{PP} =$

$$\frac{-4xx-ax}{DDyy} = \frac{-4x}{aDD} - \frac{1}{DD}, \text{ whose Fluxion is}$$

$$\frac{-4\dot{x}}{aDD} + \frac{8x\dot{D}}{aD^3} + \frac{\dot{D}}{D^3} = (\text{because } -\dot{x}=\dot{D}) :$$

$$\frac{4D}{aD^3} + \frac{8x+a}{aD^3} : \times \dot{D}; \text{ therefore } F \propto \frac{4D+8x+a}{aD^3},$$

or (because  $D$  is infinite)  $\propto \frac{4D}{aD^3}$ , or  $F \propto \frac{4}{aD^2}$  a given Quantity.

Ex. 9.

Let  $C$  be the Vertex of the Parabola,  $CA=x$ ,  $AB=y$ , 196  
 $ax=yy$ ; by similar Triangles  $TB:AB::TC$  or  $x:$

$Cr$  or  $P=\frac{xy}{\sqrt{4xx+yy}}$ ; whence  $\frac{1}{PP} = -$

$$\frac{4xx+yy}{xyy}.$$

FIG.  $\frac{4xx+yy}{xxyy} = \frac{-4}{ax} - \frac{1}{xx}$ ; whose Fluxion is  $\frac{4\dot{x}}{ax^2} + \frac{2\dot{x}}{x^3}$ . But  $DD=xx+ax$ , and thence  $\dot{x} = \frac{2D\dot{D}}{a+2x}$ , therefore  $F \propto \frac{4x+2a}{ax^3} \times \frac{2D\dot{D}}{2x+a} = \frac{4D\dot{D}}{ax^3}$ , or  $F \propto \frac{D}{x^3}$ .

Ex. 10.

197. Let *VAR* be an Ellipsis, *C* the Focus; and let the Curve *VBQ* be formed from the Ellipsis, thus; take *CA* = *Cb*, and the Angle *VCA* to the Angle *VCb*, as *m* to *n*, for all the Points of the Curve. To find the Law of centripetal Force of a body moving in the Curve *VBQ*.  
 Let the Transverse of the Ellipsis = *2r*, Conjugate = *2c*. By the Property of the Ellipsis the Perpendicular *Cp* =  $\frac{cD}{\sqrt{2rD-DD}}$ , also *tb* = *TA*, and  $\angle BCb = \frac{n}{m} \angle ACo$ . And by similar Triangles  $\frac{P \times tb}{BY} = tb = \frac{n}{m} TO = \frac{\frac{n}{m} Cp \times TA}{pA}$ , that is  $\frac{P}{\sqrt{DD-PP}}$   
 $= \frac{nc}{m\sqrt{2rD-DD-cc}}$ ; whence by Reduction  
 $PP = \frac{n^2c^2D^2}{2rm^2D - m^2D^2 - m^2c^2 + n^2c^2}$ ; whence  $\frac{-1}{PP}$   
 $= \frac{-2rm^2}{n^2c^2D} + \frac{m^2}{n^2c^2} - \frac{n^2c^2 - m^2c^2}{n^2c^2D^2}$ ; whose Fluxion  
 on is  $\frac{2rm^2\dot{D}}{n^2c^2D^2} + \frac{2n^2-2m^2}{n^2c^2D^3}c^2D$ , therefore  $F \propto \frac{m^2}{DD} + \frac{n^2-m^2}{rD^3}cc$ . In the same Manner if *C* were the Center of the Ellipsis, it might be proved that the Force is  
 as  $\frac{m^2D}{rr} + \frac{nn-mm}{D^3}cc$ .

Ex. 11.

## EX. 11.

Suppose  $AB$  to be the Logarithmic Spiral; since the Angle  $CBY$  is always given, there is given the Ratio

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of  $CB$  to  $CY$  suppose as  $m$  to  $n$ . Then  $P = \frac{n}{m} D$ ;

and  $\frac{-1}{PP} = \frac{-mm}{nnDD}$ , whose Fluxion is  $\frac{2m^2\dot{D}}{nnD^3}$ ;

therefore  $F \propto \frac{1}{D^3}$ .

## EX. 12.

Let  $CB$  be the hyperbolic Spiral; draw  $CT$  perpendicular to  $CB$ , and let  $CB=y$ , the given Subtangent

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$CT=a$ . By similar Triangles  $\sqrt{aa+yy} : y :: a : P$

$= \frac{ay}{\sqrt{aa+yy}}$ ; and  $-\frac{1}{PP} = -\frac{1}{yy} - \frac{1}{aa}$ ,

whose Fluxion is  $\frac{2\dot{y}}{y^3} = \frac{2\dot{D}}{D^3}$ , therefore  $F \propto \frac{1}{y^3}$

$\propto \frac{1}{D^3}$ .

## P R O B. XX.

The Nature of the Curve  $ABD$  forming an Arch being given; to find the Nature of the Curve  $RST$  bounding the Top of the Wall  $ATRD$  supported by that Arch; by the Pressure or Weight of which Wall, all the Parts of the Arch are kept in Equilibrio without falling.

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1. Let several equal right Lines  $AB, BC, CD, \&c$ , placed in a vertical Plane, be movable round the Angles  $A, B, C, D, \&c$ , whilst the Points  $A, G$ , at the Base remain fixed and immovable. Through  $B$ ,

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FIG. 201. *B, C, D, E*, draw the Lines *Bi, Cm, Dp, E*, perpendicular to the Horizon; and complete the Parallelogram *Bbik*, and make *Cl=Bk*, and complete the Parallelogram *Clmn*. In like Manner make *Do=Cn* or *lm*, *Er=op*, *Ft=rs*, and complete all the Parallelograms in the Figure as at first.

2. Let several Weights which are to one another as the Lines *Bi, Cm, Dp, E*, lye respectively on the Points *B, C, D, E*. Now the Force *Bi*, is equivalent to *Bb, Bk*, acting in the Directions *BA, BC*; the Force *Bb* is destroyed by the Resistance of the Point *A*; but *Bk* endeavours to move the Point *B* towards *C*. In like Manner the Force *Cm* is equivalent to *Cl* and *Cn*; the Force *Dp* to *Do, op, E*. Now the Forces *Bk* (acting towards *C*) and *Cl* (acting towards *B*) being equal by Construction destroy one another. In like manner the Forces *Cn, Do; Dq* and *Er; Ev* and *Ft, E*, destroy one another; and the Point *G* being fixed, it is manifest the Figure *ABCD, E*, will not be moved by the incumbent Weights *Bi, Cm, Dp, E*, but all it's Parts will remain in Equilibrio.

3. The Force *Bb* : Force *Bk* or *Cl* :: Sine *L biB* or *iBC* : *S. LABi* ::  $\frac{1}{S. ABi}$  :  $\frac{1}{S. iBC}$  or  $\frac{1}{S. mCB}$ , Likewise Force *Cl* : Force *Cn* or *Do* :: *S. mCD* or *pDC* : *S. mCB* ::  $\frac{1}{S. mCB}$  :  $\frac{1}{S. mCD}$  or  $\frac{1}{S. pDC}$ , and so on; whence it is plain in general, that any Force *Cl* is as  $\frac{1}{S. L mCB}$ . Now since *Cm* =  $\frac{S. Clm \times Cl}{S. Cml} = \frac{S. BCx \times Cl}{S. mCD}$ ; therefore the Force  $Cm \propto \frac{S. BCx}{S. mCB \times S. mCD}$ .

4. Now let the Number of the Lines *AB, BC, CD, E*, be increased and their Lengths diminished *ad infinitum*, that the Figure may obtain the Form of a Curve,

a Curve, and the Pressure will then act on all Parts of it; and the Angle  $BCx$  will then become the Angle of Contact, and the Sines of  $mCB$  and  $mCD$  become equal to the Sine of  $mCx$ : Therefore drawing the Tangent  $An$  (Fig. 200.) the Pressure on any Point  $A$  to preserve the Equilibrium will be as the Angle of Contact at  $A$  directly and the Square of the Sine of the Angle  $mAn$  reciprocally. But the Angle of Contact is as the Curvature, or reciprocally as the Radius of Curvature. Therefore the Pressure is reciprocally as that Radius and the Square of the Sine of that Angle  $mAn$ .

5. Let  $BC=x$ ,  $AC=y$ ,  $AB=z$ . Radius of Curvature in  $A=R$ . Then if  $\dot{z}$  be given,  $S. L. TAN \propto$

$\dot{y}$ , and  $\frac{1}{S. TAN} \propto \frac{1}{\dot{y}}$ . Then the Weight or Pressure on  $A = AT \times \dot{y}$ , and that (as has been proved)

is as  $\frac{1}{R \times S. TAN^2} \propto \frac{1}{R \dot{y}^2}$ , therefore  $AT \propto \frac{1}{R \dot{y}^2}$ ,

or in general  $AT \propto \frac{\dot{z}^3}{R \dot{y}^3}$ . But when  $\dot{x}$  is given

$R = \frac{\dot{z}^3}{-\ddot{x}\dot{y}}$ ; or if  $\dot{y}$  be given  $R = \frac{\dot{z}^3}{\dot{y}\ddot{x}}$ ; there-

fore  $AT \propto \frac{-\ddot{x}\dot{y}}{\dot{y}^3}$  if  $\dot{x}$  be given; or  $AT \propto \frac{\ddot{x}}{\dot{y}^2}$ , if  $\dot{y}$  be given.

Wherefore to find the Curve  $ST$ , let  $BC=x$ ,  $AC=y$ ,  $AB=z$ ; then by the Nature of the Curve  $AB$ , com-

pute  $\frac{-\ddot{x}\dot{y}}{\dot{y}^3}$  if  $\dot{x}$  be given, or  $\frac{\ddot{x}}{\dot{y}^2}$  if  $\dot{y}$  be given,

and take  $AT$  proportional thereto. And  $x$  may be expunged out of the Value of  $AT$ , by Help of the given Line  $BS$ , and thence the Nature of the Curve  $ST$  will be known.

Ex. I.

Let  $BA$  be a Circle, Radius  $AR=r$ ,  $BC=x$ ,  $AC=y$ , 202.

$BS=a$ ,  $\dot{x}$  given. Then  $y = \sqrt{2rx - xx}$ ,  $\dot{y} = \frac{r-x}{\sqrt{2rx-xx}} \dot{x}$ ,  
 $\ddot{y} =$

FIG.  $\ddot{y} = \frac{-rr\dot{x}^2}{2rx - xx^{\frac{3}{2}}}$ ; then will  $\frac{-\dot{x}\ddot{y}}{\dot{y}^3} = \frac{rr\dot{x}^3}{2rx - xx^{\frac{3}{2}}}$   
 $\times \frac{\frac{2rx - xx^{\frac{3}{2}}}{r - x^3} \times \dot{x}^3}{r - x^3} = \frac{rr}{r - x^3}$ ; therefore  $AT \propto \frac{rr}{r - x^3}$ ,  
 or  $AT = \frac{r^3 a}{r - x^3}$ . And expunging  $x$ ,  $SQ =$   
 $(AT - CS) = \frac{r^3 a}{rr - yy^{\frac{3}{2}}} - a - r + \sqrt{rr - yy}$ , for  
 the Nature of the Curve  $ST$ .

Hence the Curve  $ST$  runs upwards *ad infinitum*,  
 and the Perpendicular  $DE$  is an Assymptote to the  
 Curve.

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If  $ST$  had been a right Line, then the Point  $A$   
 would be pressed with too little Weight, and  $B$  with  
 too much: And hence appears the Reason why circular  
 Arches commonly break about the Top, by being  
 loaded there with more Weight than their due Pro-  
 portion.

Ex. 2.

202. Let the Curve  $DAB$  be an Ellipsis;  $BR=r$ ,  $DR=c$ ,  
 $CB=x$ ,  $AC=y$ ,  $BS=a$ ,  $\dot{x}$  given. Then  $y = \frac{c}{r} \sqrt{2rx - xx^2}$ ,  
 $\dot{y} = \frac{c\dot{x}}{r} \times \frac{r-x}{\sqrt{2rx - xx^2}}$ ,  $\ddot{y} = \frac{-c r \dot{x}^2}{2rx - xx^{\frac{3}{2}}}$ : whence  
 $\frac{-\dot{x}\ddot{y}}{\dot{y}^3} = \frac{r^4}{cc \times r - x^3}$ , which is as  $AT$ ; therefore  
 $AT = \frac{r^3 a}{r - x^3}$ . Then  $SQ = \frac{r^3 a}{r - x^3} - a - r$   
 $= (\text{expunging } x) \frac{c^3 a}{cc - yy^{\frac{3}{2}}} - a - r + \frac{r}{c} \sqrt{cc - yy}$ ,  
 for the Nature of the Curve  $ST$ , being of the same  
 Kind with the Foregoing.

Ex. 3.



Ex. 3.

Let  $AB$  be a Parabola,  $BC=x$ ,  $CA=y$ ,  $SB=a$ , FIG. 203.  
 $rx=yy$ ,  $\dot{y}$  given. Then  $\dot{x} = \frac{2y\dot{y}}{r}$ ,  $\ddot{x} = \frac{2\dot{y}^2}{r}$ , and

$\frac{\ddot{x}}{\dot{y}^2} = \frac{2}{r}$ , a given Quantity, therefore  $AT$  is every where the same, and  $ST$  is the same Parabola placed in a higher Position.

Ex. 4.

Let  $BA$  be an Hyperbola, Transverse  $= 2r$ , Conjugate  $= 2c$ ,  $BC=x$ ,  $CA=y$ ,  $BS=a$ ,  $\dot{y}$  given. Then 203.

$2rx+xx = \frac{rxyy}{cc}$ , whence  $r+x = \frac{r}{c}\sqrt{cc+yy}$ ,  $\dot{x} =$

$\frac{r\dot{y}}{c} \times \frac{y}{\sqrt{cc+yy}}$ ,  $\ddot{x} = \frac{rc\dot{y}^2}{cc+yy)^{\frac{1}{2}}}$ ; wherefore  $AT \propto$

$(\frac{\ddot{x}}{\dot{y}^2} = ) \frac{rc}{cc+yy)^{\frac{1}{2}}}$ , and  $AT = \frac{c^3a}{cc+yy)^{\frac{1}{2}}}$ .

Hence the Curve  $ST$  continually approaches nearer and nearer the Hyperbola: And  $SQ = (a+x-AT=)$

$a-r + \frac{r}{c}\sqrt{cc+yy} - \frac{c^3a}{cc+yy)^{\frac{1}{2}}}$ , expresses the Na-

ture of the Curve  $ST$ .

Ex. 5.

Let  $BA$  be a Cycloid,  $BC=x$ ,  $CA=y$ ,  $BD=s$ , 204.  
 $BV=a$ ,  $\dot{x}$  given. By the Property of the Curve  $y =$

$s + \sqrt{ax-xx}$ , but  $\dot{s} = \frac{a\dot{x}}{2\sqrt{ax-xx}}$ , then  $\dot{y} =$

$\frac{2a\dot{x}-2x\dot{x}}{2\sqrt{ax-xx}} = \dot{x}\sqrt{\frac{a-x}{x}}$ , and  $\ddot{y} = \frac{-a\dot{x}^2}{2x\sqrt{ax-xx}}$ ;

therefore  $\frac{-\dot{x}\ddot{y}}{\dot{y}^3} = \frac{r}{2 \times a-x}$ ; Therefore  $AT \propto$

$\frac{1}{a-x^2} \propto \frac{1}{CV^2}$ .

## Ex. 6.

FIG. Let  $BA$  be the Catenary,  $BC=x$ ,  $CA=y$ ,  $BA=z$ ,

203.  $BS=a$ ,  $\dot{x}$  given; then  $z = \sqrt{2rx+xx}$ ,  $\dot{z} = \frac{r+x}{\sqrt{2rx+xx}} \dot{x}$ ,

therefore  $\dot{y} = (\sqrt{\dot{z}^2 - \dot{x}^2}) = \frac{r\dot{x}}{\sqrt{2rx+xx}}$ , and  $\ddot{y} = \frac{-r\dot{x}^2 \times \overline{r+x}}{(2rx+xx)^{\frac{3}{2}}}$ ; whence  $\frac{-\dot{x}\ddot{y}}{\dot{y}^3} = \frac{r+x}{rr}$ , therefore

$AT$  is as  $r+x$ , or  $AT = \frac{a}{r} \times \overline{r+x}$ . Hence,

1. If  $a=r$ , then  $AT=a+x=CS$ , and then  $ST$  is a right Line passing through  $S$ .

2. If  $BS$  is very small, draw  $At$  perpendicular to the Curve, and by similar Triangles ( $\dot{z} = \frac{r+x \times \dot{x}}{\sqrt{2rx+xx}}$ ):

( $\dot{y} = \frac{r\dot{x}}{\sqrt{2rx+xx}}$ ) :: ( $AT = \frac{a}{r} \times \overline{r+x}$ ):  $At =$

$a=BS$ ; therefore the Arch is of the same Thickness every where: Consequently a heavy flexible Line put into this Figure would support it self.

3. For the Nature of the Curve  $ST$ , we have  $SQ = (a+x-AT) = x - \frac{ax}{r}$ . Therefore if  $a$  is lesser than  $r$  the Curve is concave towards  $B$ , and if  $a$  is greater than  $r$ , it is convex towards  $B$ .

## Ex. 7.

205. Let  $AB$  be the logarithmic Curve,  $GD$  it's Asymptote,  $BS=a$ ,  $BD=r$ , Subtangent  $GE=t$ ,  $BC=x$ ,  $CA=y$ ,  $AG=r+x$ , then by the Property

of the Curve  $\dot{y} = \frac{t\dot{x}}{r+x}$ , and if  $\dot{x}$  be given,  $\ddot{y} =$

$\frac{-t\dot{x}^2}{(r+x)^2}$ , whence  $\frac{-\dot{x}\ddot{y}}{\dot{y}^3} = \frac{t\dot{x}^3 \times \overline{r+x}^3}{(r+x)^2 \times t^3 \dot{x}^3} = \frac{r+x}{tt}$ ,

when  $AT \propto \overline{r+x}$ , or  $AT = \frac{a}{r} \times \overline{r+x}$ , the same as in the last Example.

For

For the Nature of the Curve,  $SQ = (a + x - AT$   
 $=) x - \frac{ax}{r}$ , therefore if  $a=r$ , then  $ST$  becomes  
 the Affymtote  $DG$ , and if  $a$  be less than  $r$ , the Curve  
 $ST$  is concave; but if  $a$  is greater than  $r$ , it is con-  
 vex towards  $B$ .

Or thus for the Nature of the Curve,  $GT = (r + x$   
 $- AT =) r - a + \frac{r-a}{r}x$ , for the Relation of  
 $ST$  to the Affymptote  $GD$ .

Ex. 8.

Let  $AB$  be the Cissoid, whose Equation is  $axx - yxx$  206.  
 $= y^3$ , in Fluxions  $2ax\dot{x} - 2yxx - x^2\dot{y} = 3y^2\dot{y}$ ; this  
 again in Fluxions (making  $\ddot{x} = 0$ ),  $2a\dot{x}^2 - 2y\dot{x}\dot{y} -$   
 $2x\dot{x}\dot{y} - 2x\dot{x}\dot{y} - x^2\ddot{y} = 6y\dot{y}^2 + 3y^2\ddot{y}$ ; from the former

Equation  $\dot{y} = \frac{2ax - 2yx}{3yy + xx}\dot{x}$ , and from the latter,

$$\ddot{y} = \frac{2a - 2y \times \dot{x}^2 - 4x\dot{x}\dot{y} - 6y\dot{y}^2}{3yy + xx}. \text{ Now if } a=10,$$

$\dot{x}=1$ ; suppose  $y=2$ ,  $x=1$ , to find  $AT$ ; here  $\dot{y} =$   
 $\frac{16}{13}$ ,  $\ddot{y} = -.5462$ ; whence  $\frac{-x\ddot{y}}{\dot{y}^3} = .293$  for the

Value of  $AT$ . And to find it in the Vertex where  $x$   
 and  $y$  are 0, and  $y$  infinitely greater than  $x$ ; we shall

have  $axx = y^3$ ,  $\dot{y} = \frac{2ax}{3yy} = \frac{2}{3}\sqrt{\frac{a}{y}}$ ,  $\ddot{y} = \frac{2a - 4x\dot{y} - 6y\dot{y}^2}{3yy}$

$= \frac{-2a}{3yy}$ ; whence  $\frac{-x\ddot{y}}{\dot{y}^3} = \frac{3}{4\sqrt{ay}} = \text{Infinity.}$

More generally thus:

Since  $axx - yxx = y^3$ , in Fluxions  $2ax\dot{x} - 2yxx -$   
 $x^2\dot{y} = 3y^2\dot{y}$ , whence  $\dot{x} = \frac{3xy^2 + x^3}{2y^3}\dot{y}$ , this again in

Fluxions and reduced (making  $\dot{y}$  invariable),  $\ddot{x} =$   
 $\frac{3}{2} \times \frac{y^3 + x^2y \times \dot{x} - xy^2\dot{y} - x^3 \times \dot{y}}{y^4} \times \dot{y} = (\text{expunging } xx)$

FIG.  $\frac{1}{2}\dot{y} \times \frac{ay\dot{x} - ax\dot{y}}{yy \times a - y} = (\text{expunging } \dot{x}) \frac{3aax\dot{y}^2}{4yy \times a - y^2} =$   
 (expunging  $x$ )  $\frac{3aay^2}{a - y^2 \times 4\sqrt{ay - yy}}; \text{ whence } \frac{\ddot{x}}{y^2} =$   
 $\frac{3aa}{a - y^2 \times 4\sqrt{ay - yy}}: \text{ Therefore } AT \propto \frac{1}{\sqrt{y} \times a - y^{\frac{1}{2}}}$

## P R O B. XXI.

207. *The Curve BA being given, by whose Revolution about the Axis BC there is generated a concave Surface or Vault; To find the Height AT of a Wall standing on the same, and supported by that Surface, so that all the Parts may remain in Equilibrio.*

Let  $PBQ$  be an infinitely small Part of the Surface contained between the Planes  $PBR$  and  $QBR$ , draw the Ordinates  $DC$ ,  $AC$ ; and take  $Dd$ ,  $Aa$  infinitely small equal Parts of the Curve. Let  $BC=x$ ,  $CA=y$ ,  $BA=z$ : By the Reasoning in the last Problem, the Weight insitig on the small Part of the Surface

$ADda$  will be as  $\frac{1}{Ry^2}$ , when the Particle of the Curve is given. But this incumbent Weight is  $ad \times AD \times AT$ , but  $AD \propto y$ , therefore the Weight is as  $AT \times yy$  and this  $\propto \frac{1}{Ry^2}$ , whence  $AT \propto \frac{1}{Ryy^3}$ .

Or in general  $AT \propto \frac{\dot{z}^3}{Ryy^3}$ . Whence

Putting  $BC=x$ ,  $CA=y$ ,  $BA=z$ . Take  $AT \propto \frac{-\ddot{x}\dot{y}}{yy^3}$  if  $\dot{x}$  be given, or  $AT \propto \frac{\ddot{x}}{yy^2}$  if  $\dot{y}$  is given: And



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And the Nature of the Curve  $ST$  will be known by expunging  $x$ . FIG.

## Example 1.

Let  $BA$  be a cubic Parabola,  $r^2x = y^3$ ; then  $r^2\dot{x} = 3y^2\dot{y}$ , and (if  $\dot{y}$  be given)  $r^2\ddot{x} = 6y\ddot{y}$ , whence  $\frac{\ddot{x}}{y\ddot{y}} = \frac{6}{rr}$ ; therefore  $AT$  is as  $\frac{6}{rr}$  a given Quantity: Consequently the Curve  $ST$  is the same Parabola with  $BA$ , but placed in a higher Position.

## Ex. 2.

Let  $AB$  be a biquadratic Parabola  $r^3x = y^4$ , and  $\dot{y}$  given. Then  $r^3\dot{x} = 4y^3\dot{y}$ , and  $r^3\ddot{x} = 12y^2\ddot{y}$ , wherefore  $\frac{\ddot{x}}{y\ddot{y}} = \frac{12y}{r^3}$ , whence  $AT \propto y$  or  $AC$ .

## Ex. 3.

Let  $BA$  be a Circle,  $y = \sqrt{2rx - xx}$ ,  $\dot{x}$  given; then  $\dot{y} = \frac{r\dot{x} - x\dot{x}}{\sqrt{2rx - xx}}$ ,  $\ddot{y} = \frac{-r\dot{x}^2}{(2rx - xx)^{3/2}}$ ; whence  $\frac{-\dot{x}\ddot{y}}{y\dot{y}^3} = \frac{rr}{y \times r - x^2}$ ; therefore  $AT \propto \frac{1}{y \times r - x^2}$  that is as  $\frac{1}{AC \times CR^2}$ . Whence the Perpendiculars  $RS$ ,  $DE$  are Asymptotes to the Curve  $ST$ .

## P R O B. XXII.

FIG. To find the Resistance of a plane Figure or Solid moving in a Fluid, in the Direction of it's Axis.

210. Let  $ABQ$  be any plane Figure or Solid whose Axis is  $AQ$ ; Draw  $CBf$  parallel to the Axis  $AQ$ , and  $gD$  and Ordinate  $BE$  Perpendiculars thereto;  $BD$  a Tangent at  $B$ , and  $Df$  perpendicular to it. Call  $AE$ ,  $x$ ;  $EB$ ,  $y$ ;  $AB$ ,  $z$ ;  $Bn$ ,  $\dot{z}$ ;  $Br$ ,  $\dot{x}$ ;  $rn$ ,  $\dot{y}$ .

Let  $fB$  represent the Force or Resistance of a Particle of the Fluid, striking against  $C$  with a given Velocity, then will  $fD$  be the Force against the Curve Line or Surface at  $B$  in Direction  $fD$ ; and  $fg$  will be the Force or Resistance against the Curve in Direction  $BC$ , which alone is the Resistance that hinders or opposes it's progressive Motion in Direction of the Axis. But by similar Triangles  $fB : fg :: fB^2 :$

$$fD^2 :: DB^2 : Dg^2 :: \dot{z}^2 : \dot{y}^2, \text{ and } fg = \frac{\dot{y}^2}{z^2} \times fB.$$

Therefore the Force of a Particle against  $C$  and  $B$  are as  $fB$  and  $\frac{\dot{y}^2}{z^2} \times fB$ , that is as 1 to  $\frac{\dot{y}^2}{z^2}$ . Now the

Quantity of Fluid striking against  $Bn$  in the Curve is as  $\dot{y}$ , and against  $Bn$  in the Solid (generated by  $AB$  revolving round it's Axis) as  $\dot{y}\dot{y}$ : Therefore the Force against the Base : Force against the Curve ::  $\dot{y}$  to  $\frac{\dot{y}^3}{z^2}$ , or as  $\dot{y}$  to  $\frac{\dot{y}^3}{\dot{x}^2 + \dot{y}^2}$ , or as  $\dot{y}$  to  $\frac{\dot{y}}{1 + \frac{\dot{x}^2}{\dot{y}^2}}$ , that

is as  $\dot{y}$  to  $\frac{\dot{y}}{1 + \frac{\dot{x}^2}{\dot{y}^2}}$ : And Force against the Base:

Force against the Solid, is as  $\dot{y}\dot{y}$  to  $\frac{\dot{y}\dot{y}}{1 + \frac{\dot{x}^2}{\dot{y}^2}}$ .

Note,



Note, by the Resistance of a plane Figure moving in a Fluid is meant the Resistance of a prismatic Solid of any given Depth, and whose Base is that Figure: And it is supposed to move in a Direction parallel to that Base.

Hence to find the Resistance; by the Equation of the Curve, exterminate  $\dot{x}^2$  out of the Quantity  $\frac{y}{1 + \frac{\dot{x}^2}{\dot{y}^2}}$

for the Curve; and find the Fluent  $F$ ; or out of the Quantity  $\frac{y\dot{y}}{1 + \frac{\dot{x}^2}{\dot{y}^2}}$  for the Solid, and find it's Fluent

G. Then will the Resistance against the Base : to the Resistance against the Curve ::  $y : F$ . Or the Resistance against the Base : to the Resistance against the Solid :: as  $y^2$  to  $2G$ .

Ex. 1.

Let there be a Triangle (or prismatic Solid)  $ARS$  moving in Direction  $QA$ . Let  $AQ=b$ ,  $QR=c$ ,  $AR=d$ ,  $AE=x$ ,  $EB=y$ ; and by similar Triangles  $x = \frac{by}{c}$ ,

whence  $\dot{x}^2 = \frac{bb\dot{y}^2}{cc}$ , therefore  $\frac{\dot{y}}{1 + \frac{\dot{x}^2}{\dot{y}^2}} = \frac{\dot{y}}{1 + \frac{bb}{cc}}$

$= \frac{cc\dot{y}}{cc+bb} = \frac{cc\dot{y}}{dd}$ , whose Fluent  $F = \frac{ccy}{dd}$ .

Whence the Resistance of the Base to that of the Side, is as  $y$  to  $\frac{ccy}{dd}$ , that is as  $dd$  to  $cc$ .

Ex. 2.

Let  $ARS$  be a Cone, whose Axis is  $AQ$ ; then  $x = \frac{by}{c}$ ,  $\dot{x}^2 = \frac{bb\dot{y}^2}{cc}$ , and  $\frac{y\dot{y}}{1 + \frac{\dot{x}^2}{\dot{y}^2}} = \frac{y\dot{y}}{1 + \frac{bb}{cc}} = \frac{ccy\dot{y}}{cc+bb}$

FIG.  $\frac{ccy\dot{y}}{cc+bb} = \frac{ccy\dot{y}}{dd}$ , whose Fluent  $G = \frac{ccyy}{2dd}$ , and  
 $2G = \frac{ccyy}{dd}$ . Therefore the Resistance of the Base  
 to that of the Side is as  $yy$  to  $\frac{ccyy}{dd}$ , or as  $dd$  to  $cc$ .

## Ex. 3.

210. Let  $ABR$  be a Circle, Radius  $AQ = r$ ,  $AE = x$ ,  
 $EB = y$ . Then  $\dot{x} = \frac{y\dot{y}}{r-x} = \frac{y\dot{y}}{\sqrt{rr-yy}}$ , and  $\frac{\dot{x}^2}{\dot{y}^2}$   
 $= \frac{yy}{rr-yy}$ ; therefore  $\frac{\dot{y}}{1 + \frac{\dot{x}^2}{\dot{y}^2}} = \frac{\dot{y}}{1 + \frac{yy}{rr-yy}}$   
 $= \frac{rr-yy}{rr} \dot{y}$ , whose Fluent  $F = y - \frac{y^3}{3rr}$ . Whence  
 the Resistance against the Base, to the Resistance  
 against the Circle (or cylindric Surface) is as  $y$  to  $y$   
 $- \frac{y^3}{3rr}$ , that is as  $3rr$  to  $3rr-yy$ : which when  $y=r$ ,  
 is as 3 to 2.

## Ex. 4.

210. Let  $ABQ$  be an Hemisphere, then  $\frac{y\dot{y}}{1 + \frac{\dot{x}^2}{\dot{y}^2}} =$   
 $\frac{rr-yy}{rr} \times y\dot{y}$ , whose Fluent  $G = \frac{y^2}{2} - \frac{y^4}{4rr}$ ;  
 therefore the Resistance against the Base, to the Re-  
 sistance against the convex Surface, is as  $y^2$  to  $y^2$   
 $- \frac{y^4}{2rr}$ , or as  $2rr$  to  $2rr-yy$ ; which when  $y=r$ ,  
 is as 2 to 1.

## Ex. 5.

210. Let  $ABRQ$  be a Spheroid,  $Q$  the Center,  $QA = a$ ,  
 Latus Rectum  $= 2r$ ,  $AE = x$ ,  $BE = y$ ,  $QE = u = a-x$ ,  
 then

then  $uu = aa - \frac{a}{r}yy$ , and  $\dot{x} = -\dot{u} = \frac{ay\dot{y}}{r\sqrt{aa - \frac{a}{r}yy}}$ ;

therefore  $\frac{y\dot{y}}{1 + \frac{\dot{x}^2}{\dot{y}^2}} = \frac{rra - ryy}{rra + \overline{a-r}xy}y\dot{y}$ ; whose

Fluent, by Form the 4th and 11th, is  $G = \frac{-ryy}{2a-2r}$

+  $\frac{\frac{1}{2}rraa \times 2.30258}{\overline{a-r}^2} \times \text{Log: } \frac{rra + \overline{a-r}xy}{rra}$ : Whence

the Resistance of the Base to the Resistance of the convex Surface, is as  $yy$  to  $2G$ ; and when  $y = QR$ ,

it will be as  $a-r$  to  $\frac{ar}{a-r} \times \text{Log: } \frac{a}{r} : -r$ .

Ex. 6.

Let  $ABE$  be an Hyperboloid; denoting the Quantities as in the last Example,  $uu = aa + \frac{a}{r}yy$ , and

$\frac{y\dot{y}}{1 + \frac{\dot{x}^2}{\dot{y}^2}} = \frac{rra + ryy}{rra + r + a \times yy}y\dot{y}$ , whose Fluent  $G$

$= \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{ryy}{r+a} + \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{rraa}{\overline{r+a}^2} \times 2.30258 \text{Log. } \frac{rra + \overline{r+a}xy}{rra}$ .

Therefore Resistance of the Base : Resistance of the convex Surface : :  $yy$  to  $2G$ .

Ex. 7.

Let  $ABE$  be a Paraboloid,  $AE = x$ ,  $BE = y$ , 210.

$rx = yy$ , then  $\dot{x}^2 = \frac{y^2\dot{y}^2}{rr}$ ; and  $\frac{y\dot{y}}{1 + \frac{\dot{x}^2}{\dot{y}^2}} =$

$\frac{ryy}{rr+yy}$ , whose Fluent  $G = 2.3025rr \text{Log: } \sqrt{rr+yy}$ :

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And

FIG. And by Correction  $G = 2.302585rr \times \text{Log} : \frac{\sqrt{rr+yy}}{r} :$

And the Resistance of the Base, to the Resistance of the Surface of the Solid, is as  $yy$  to  $2.302585rr \times$

$$\text{Log} : \frac{rr+yy}{rr} :$$

Ex. 8.

210. Suppose  $AB$  to be a cubic Paraboloid  $r^2x = y^3$ ,

$$\text{then } \dot{x}^2 = \frac{9y^4\dot{y}^2}{r^4}, \text{ whence } \frac{y\dot{y}}{1 + \frac{\dot{x}^2}{y^2}} = \frac{r^4y\dot{y}}{r^4 + 9y^4},$$

$$\text{whose Fluent } G \text{ (by Form the 5th)} = \frac{.01745rr}{6}$$

$$\times \text{Degrees in the Arch whose Tangent is } \frac{3yy}{rr};$$

and the Resistance of the Base : Resistance of the Surface :: as  $yy$  to  $2G$ .

Ex. 9.

212. Let  $ABDQ$  be the Solid generated by the Cycloid  $ABD$  revolving round  $AQ$ .  $DQ = a$ ,  $AE = x$ ,  $EB = y$ ,  $AB = z$ ; by the Nature of the Curve  $y =$

$$z - \frac{zz}{4a}, \text{ and } \dot{y} = \dot{z} - \frac{z\dot{z}}{2a}; \text{ then } \frac{y\dot{y}}{1 + \frac{\dot{x}^2}{y^2}}$$

$$= \frac{y\dot{y} \times \dot{y}^2}{\dot{z}^3} = \frac{y\dot{y} \times \overline{2a - z}^2}{4aa} = \frac{\overline{a - y} \times y\dot{y}}{a},$$

$$\text{whose Fluent } G = \frac{yy}{2} - \frac{y^3}{3a} : \text{ Whence the}$$

Resistance of the Base, to the Resistance of the

$$\text{Surface :: as } yy, \text{ to } yy - \frac{2y^3}{3a}, \text{ or as } 1 \text{ to } 1 -$$

$$\frac{2y}{3a}, \text{ and in the whole Solid it is as } 3 \text{ to } 1.$$

The

The Problems delivered in this Section are exceeding general, each of them comprehending an infinite Number of particular Cases, and are sufficient here to shew the Method of investigating general Problems by the Method of Fluxions. I shall now proceed to exemplify the same Doctrine in the Resolution of a few particular Problems belonging to Physics or Natural Philosophy; and the rather because these Sort of Problems have not been so common among the Writers of Fluxions.



## S E C T. III.

*The Solution of Physical Problems, or such as occur in the Phænomena of Nature.*

## P R O B. I.

*To find the Curve which a flexible Line  $QAR$  is put into by the Wind or any Fluid moving against it.*

FIG.  
213.

LET  $AE$  be the Axis, and  $BE$ ,  $Cf$  Ordinates infinitely near,  $Bd$  parallel to  $AE$ . Call  $AE$ ,  $x$ ;  $EB$ ,  $y$ ;  $AB$ ,  $z$ ;  $Bd$ ,  $\dot{x}$ ;  $Cd$ ,  $\dot{y}$ ;  $BC$ ,  $\dot{z}$ ; and let  $\dot{z}$  be given. The Force of the Fluid acting perpendicularly against the Particle of the Curve  $\dot{z}$ , is as the Quantity of the Fluid acting on it, and the Sine of Incidence, that is as  $\dot{y} \times \frac{\dot{y}}{\dot{z}}$ , or  $\frac{\dot{y}^2}{\dot{z}}$  that is as  $\frac{\dot{y}^2}{\dot{z}}$ ; And (by Ex. 16, Prop. XII,) that Force will be as the Curvature in  $B$ , or reciprocally as the Radius of Curvature, that is (by Prob. V. Sect. II.) as  $\frac{\dot{z}\dot{x}}{-\dot{y}}$ ; therefore  $\frac{\dot{y}^2}{\dot{z}} \propto \frac{-\dot{y}}{\dot{z}\dot{x}}$ , or  $\frac{\dot{y}^2}{\dot{z}} = \frac{-a\ddot{y}}{\dot{x}}$ ; therefore  $\frac{\dot{x}}{\dot{z}} = \frac{-a\ddot{y}}{\dot{y}^2}$ , and the Fluent is  $\frac{x}{\dot{z}} = \frac{a}{\dot{y}}$ ;

$\frac{a}{y}$ ; but in  $A$ ,  $y=\dot{z}$ , and  $x=0$ , therefore the corrected Fluent is  $\frac{x}{\dot{z}} = \frac{a}{y} - \frac{a}{\dot{z}}$ , whence  $x\dot{y} = a\dot{z} - a\dot{y}$ , therefore  $\overline{a+x \times \dot{y}} = a\dot{z}$ , and  $\overline{a+x^2 \times \dot{z}^2 - \dot{x}^2} = a^2\dot{z}^2$ , or  $\overline{2ax + xx \times \dot{z}^2} = \overline{a+x^2 \times \dot{x}^2}$ , and  $\dot{z} = \frac{a+x \times \dot{x}}{\sqrt{2ax + xx}}$ ; and the Fluent  $z = \sqrt{2ax + xx}$ ; an Equation to the Catenary.

FIG.

## P R Ò B. II.

*To find the Motion of a musical String, vibrating at very small Distances.*

1. Let  $AB$  be the String, and let it be drawn to  $C$ , and there let go; now since the Force to move the Point  $C$ , by Mechanics, is as the Sine of the Angle  $ACn$ , or as that Angle it self when it is very small; therefore the Point  $C$  alone will first begin to move, and presently by the Flexure of the String in  $d$  and  $e$  these Points will also begin to move, and then the next Points to these, and so forward. Now by Reason of the great Flexure in  $C$ , that Point will at first be very swiftly moved; and the Curvature in  $d$  and  $e$  being thereby increased, these Points are continually accelerated; and the Curvature in  $C$  being diminished, it's Motion will be less accelerated. And universally these Points that are too slow being more accelerated, and those too swift being less accelerated, it will come to pass that, the Forces being at length rightly adjusted all the Points of the String will acquire such Motions, as to be carried to the Axis together; and will continue to go and return together *ad infinitum*.

2. Now

FIG.  
214.

2. Now that this may be regularly performed, the String must always have the Form of the Curve  $AFXB$ , whose Nature is such, that the Angle of Contact, or the Curvature in any Point  $F$ , will be as the Ordinate  $FE$ ; for then the Force at  $F$  being as the Curvature that is as  $FE$ , the Velocity generated will also be as  $FE$  the Space to be described and the consequent Accelerations and Velocities, and the Parts of the Ordinates described, and those to be described, will be as the wholes; and consequently any correspondent Parts of the Ordinates, and therefore the whole Ordinates will be described in equal Times.

3. To find the Radius of Curvature; Let  $AB$  or  $2AZ=a$ ,  $ZX=b$ ,  $AE=x$ ,  $EF=y$ ,  $AF=z$ ,  $e$ =Radius of Curvature in the middle Point  $X$ . Let  $\dot{z}$  be given; and by Prob. V. Sect. II. the Radius of Curvature in  $F$   $= \frac{zy}{\dot{x}}$ ; therefore by the Nature of the Curve  $y:b$

$:: e : \frac{be}{y} = \frac{\dot{z}y}{\dot{x}}$ , and  $eb\dot{x} = \dot{z}y\dot{y}$ , and the Fluent is  $eb\dot{x} = \frac{yy\dot{z}}{2}$ , but in  $X$ ,  $\dot{x}=\dot{z}$ , and  $y=b$ : Therefore

the Fluent corrected is  $eb\dot{x} - eb\dot{z} = \frac{yy-bb}{2}\dot{z}$ , and  $eb\dot{x} =$

$eb\dot{z} + \frac{yy-bb}{2}\dot{z} = \frac{2eb+yy-bb}{2}\dot{z}$ , and by Ro-

duction,  $\dot{x} = \frac{2eb+yy-bb \times \dot{y}}{\sqrt{4eb^3 - 4eb^2y - y^4 - b^4 + 2bb \cdot y}}$

$=$  (because  $e$  is vastly greater than  $b$  or  $y$ )  $\frac{2eb\dot{y}}{\sqrt{4eb^3 - 4eb^2y}}$   
 $= \frac{\dot{y}\sqrt{eb}}{\sqrt{bb-yy}}$ . Whence (by Form the 10th) the

Fluent  $x = \sqrt{eb} \times$  Arch whose Sine is  $\frac{y}{b}$ , Radius  $= 1$ ;

and when  $y=b$ , then  $x = \frac{1}{2}a$ , and then  $x = \frac{\sqrt{eb} \times 3.1416}{2}$



$\frac{3.1416}{2} = \frac{c}{2}\sqrt{eb}$ , putting  $c = 3.1416$ . Therefore FIG. 214.

$\frac{1}{2}a = \frac{c}{2}\sqrt{eb}$ , whence  $e = \frac{aa}{ccb}$ , the Radius of Curvature in  $X$ . Therefore the Radius of Curvature in

$$F = \frac{aa}{ccy}.$$

4. To find the Motion of any Particle of the String as suppose. of  $X$  the middle Point. Let  $p =$  Tension of the String, or the Force that extends it;  $w =$  Weight of the String;  $IZ = x$ ,  $v =$  Velocity in  $I$ ,  $t =$  Time of describing  $XI$ ;  $\dot{x}$ ,  $\dot{v}$ ,  $\dot{t}$ , the Moments of  $x$ ,  $v$ , and  $t$ . The Radius of Curvature in

$I$  is  $= \frac{aa}{ccx}$ . By Ex. 16. Prop. XIII. the Force wherewith any Particle of the Curve at  $I$  is urged; is to the Tension of the String ( $p$ ) :: as that Particle

( $\dot{x}$ ) : to the Radius of Curvature in  $I$  ( $\frac{aa}{ccx}$ ); therefore the Force acting at  $I = \frac{pccx\dot{x}}{aa}$ . Now by Me-

chanics or the Laws of Motion, the Velocity  $\propto$   $\frac{\text{Moment of Space}}{\text{Moment of Time}}$  universally, and likewise the Mo-

ment of Velocity  $\propto \frac{\text{Force} \times \text{Moment of Time}}{\text{Matter}}$ ;

therefore the Velocity  $\times$  Moment of Velocity  $\propto \frac{\text{Moment of Space} \times \text{Force}}{\text{Weight}}$  (since the Weight is as

the Matter); and this is an universal Proportion for these Quantities.

Now it is known that any heavy Body falling through  $16\frac{1}{2}$  or  $f$  Feet gains a Velocity of  $2f$  in 1 Second; therefore  $\dot{x} =$  Velocity generated by that Body in falling through  $\dot{x}$  with that Velocity  $2f$ , because the Velocities generated are as the Times, or as the Spaces ( $2f$  and  $\dot{x}$ ) uniformly described with the given Velocity  $2f$ . Therefore, in this Case of falling Bodies,

FIG. Bodies, we have the Velocity  $\times$  Moment of Velocity  
 214.  $= 2fx$  : and likewise  $\frac{\text{Force} \times \text{Moment of Space}}{\text{Weight}} =$

$\frac{px}{p} = \dot{x}$ . Lastly, in the Case of the vibrating String  
 $v\dot{v} = \text{Velocity} \times \text{Moment of Velocity}$ . And, because  
 the String is homogeneous  $a : n :: \dot{z} : \frac{n\dot{z}}{a} = \text{Weight}$   
 of  $\dot{z}$ ; and  $-\dot{x} = \text{Moment of Space}$ . Therefore (by  
 the Rules Prop. XIII.) we get this Analogy (from  
 the general Proportion before laid down)  $2fx : \dot{x} ::$   
 $v\dot{v} : \frac{-\dot{x} \times pccx\dot{z}}{aa \times \frac{n\dot{z}}{a}}$ . Whence  $v\dot{v} = \frac{-2fpccx\dot{x}}{na}$ , or

$$v\dot{v} = \frac{-2fpccx\dot{x}}{na}; \text{ whence the Fluent is } vv = \frac{-2fpccx^2}{na};$$

but in  $X$ ,  $v=0$ ,  $x=b$ ; therefore the Fluent corrected  
 (by Prop. XII.) is  $vv = \frac{2fpcc}{na} \times \overline{bb-xx}$ . And in

$Z$ , where  $x=0$ ,  $v = bc \sqrt{\frac{2fp}{na}}$ , the Feet described  
 in a Second.

5. Lastly for the Time. Since the Moment of the  
 Time  $\propto \frac{\text{Moment of Space}}{\text{Velocity}}$ , universally. And in a  
 falling Body,  $2f(\text{Space}) : 1 \text{ Second (Time)} :: \dot{x} (\text{Space}) :$   
 $\frac{\dot{x}}{2f} = \text{Time of describing } \dot{x} \text{ by the falling Body.}$

And likewise  $\frac{\dot{x}}{2f} = \frac{\text{Space}}{\text{Velocity}}$ ; therefore from

$$\text{the general Analogy, we get } t = \frac{-\dot{x}}{v}, \text{ or } t = \frac{-A}{c \sqrt{\frac{2fp}{na} \times \sqrt{bb-xx}}}, \text{ then the Fluent } t = \frac{-A}{c \sqrt{\frac{2fp}{na}}}$$

(putting  $A = \text{Arch whose Sine is } \frac{x}{b} \text{ and Radius 1}$ )  
 And

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And by Correction (for in  $X$ ,  $t = 0$ ,  $x = b$ ;)  $t =$  FIG.  
 $\frac{B}{c\sqrt{\frac{2fp}{na}}}$  (putting  $B =$  Arch whose Cosine is  $\frac{x}{b}$ ;) 214.

and when  $x = 0$ , the whole Time  $t = \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{\frac{na}{2pf}}$ ; and  
 $2t$  or the Time of one entire Vibration  $= \sqrt{\frac{na}{2pf}}$ , in  
 Seconds.

COR. 1. Hence all the Vibrations great and small  
 are performed in equal Times; for they are all expressed  
 by  $\sqrt{\frac{na}{2pf}}$ , in which  $b$  is not concerned.

COR. 2. The Number of Vibrations performed in  
 one second is  $\sqrt{\frac{2fp}{na}}$ .

COR. 3. Hence the Square of the Time of Vibration  
 of any musical String; is as it's Length and  
 Weight directly, and it's Tension reciprocally.

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I took a virginal String  $29\frac{56}{100}$  Inches long, and  
 weighing  $8\frac{6}{100}$  Grains; and fastning it to the Virginal,  
 I stretched it with  $8\frac{1}{2}$  Pound Weight Avoirdupoise;  
 and causing it to vibrate, I found it to be Unison with  
 the Note Ela in the Base (the Note below the Cliff):  
 By this Problem it appears, that the String made 300  
 Vibrations in a Second of Time. This Experiment I  
 made very accurately. However, by Reason of the  
 Resistance of the Air, and the larger Vibrations that  
 the String makes, it is probable that the Time is a  
 little prolonged; and that the Number of Vibrations  
 in a Second may be something less than is assigned by  
 this Problem.

## P R O B. III.

FIG. 215. To find the Velocity of a Projectile at  $A$  moving in any given Curve  $QAO$  about the Center of Force  $S$ .

Let the Distance  $SA=D$ ,  $SB$  the Perpendicular on the Tangent at  $A=P$ , Radius of Curvature  $CA=R$ ,  $c$  = Velocity of the Body at  $A$ ,  $e$  = Velocity of a Body in a Circle at the same Distance  $SA$ , and acted on with the same Force; take the infinitely small Arch  $Aa$ , and draw  $am$ ,  $an$ , parallel to  $SA$ ,  $CA$ .

Then by similar Triangles,  $P : D :: an : am ::$  centripetal Force tending to  $C$  : to centripetal Force tending to  $S ::$  versed Sine of the Arch  $Aa$  : versed Sine of the Arch (described in the same Time) whose

Radius is  $SA :: \frac{cc}{R} : \frac{ee}{D}$ . Therefore  $PR : DD :: cc : ee$ .

Or thus, by Prob. V. Sect. II.  $R = \frac{D\dot{D}}{P}$ ; therefore

$cc : ee :: P \times \frac{D\dot{D}}{P} : DD$ ; that is  $cc : ee :: P\dot{D} : D\dot{P}$ .

COR. 1. In the Ellipsis and Hyperbola, the Square of the Velocity of a Projectile moving round the Focus : is to the Square of the Velocity of a Body moving in a Circle at the same Distance :: as the Projectiles Distance from the other Focus : is to the Semi-transverse.

For let  $2r$  = Transverse,  $2b$  = Conjugate; then (by Ex. 3d and 5th, Prob. XIX. Sect. II.)  $P =$

$$\frac{bD}{\sqrt{2rD + DD}}$$

$$\frac{bD}{\sqrt{2rD + DD}}, \text{ and } \dot{P} = \frac{brD\dot{D}}{2rD + DD)^{\frac{1}{2}}}. \text{ Therefore } \text{FIG. 215.}$$

$$cc : ee :: \frac{bD\dot{D}}{\sqrt{2rD + DD}} : \frac{brD^2\dot{D}}{2rD + DD)^{\frac{1}{2}}} :: 2r + D$$

$$: r.$$

COR. 2. The Velocity of a Body revolving in an Ellipsis round the Center, is to the Velocity of a Body in a Circle at the same Distance; as the Conjugate to that Line of Distance, to the Distance itself.

For (by Ex. 4. Prob. XIX. Sect. II.)  $P = \frac{br}{\sqrt{rr + bb - DD}}$ , and  $\dot{P} = \frac{brD\dot{D}}{rr + bb - DD)^{\frac{1}{2}}}$ ,  
 whence  $cc : ee :: (\frac{brD\dot{D}}{\sqrt{rr + bb - DD}} : \frac{brD^2\dot{D}}{rr + bb - DD)^{\frac{1}{2}}} ::)$   
 $rr + bb - DD : DD$ . And  $c : e ::$  Conjugate of  $D$   
 : to  $D$ .

COR. 3. The Velocity of a Body moving in a Parabola about the Focus, is to the Velocity in a Circle at the same Distance :: as  $\sqrt{2}$  to 1.

For let  $r =$  Latus Rectum, then by the Nature of the Parabola  $P = \frac{\sqrt{rD}}{2}$ , and  $\dot{P} = \frac{\dot{D}}{4} \sqrt{\frac{r}{D}}$ .  
 Whence  $cc : ee :: (\frac{\dot{D}\sqrt{rD}}{2} : \frac{DD\dot{D}}{4} \sqrt{\frac{r}{D}} ::) 2 : 1$ .

## PROB. IV.

FIG. 216. *To find the Velocity of a descending Body in any Place P, let fall from the given Point D towards the Earth; being acted upon by a Force which is as any Power of it's Distance CP from the Center.*

Let the Earth's Radius  $CA=r$ ,  $CD=a$ ,  $CP=x$ ,  $DP=a-x$ , whose Fluxion is  $-\dot{x}$ ,  $t$  = Time of descending through  $DP$ ,  $v$  = Velocity acquired by that Descent.  $F$  the Force at  $P$ , which let be as  $x^n$ .

By Mechanics, when the Body is given, it is universally  $\dot{v} \propto Ft$ , and  $t \propto \frac{-\dot{x}}{v}$ , for any Velocities,

Times and Spaces; therefore  $\dot{v} \propto \frac{-F\dot{x}}{v} \propto \frac{-x^n\dot{x}}{v}$ ;

and  $v\dot{v} \propto -x^n\dot{x}$ , and the Fluent  $v^2 \propto \frac{-x^{n+1}}{n+1}$ .

But in  $D$ ,  $v=0$ ,  $x=a$ , therefore the Fluent corrected is  $v^2 \propto \frac{a^{n+1} - x^{n+1}}{n+1}$ . But if  $n = -1$ , then  $v\dot{v} \propto \text{Log.} \frac{a}{x}$ .

Now we must find the Value of  $v$  at  $A$  the Earth's Surface for some determinate Values of  $a$  and  $x$ , in order to turn the general Proportion into an Equation. Thus, it is known by Experiments that a heavy Body descending through a Space  $s$  or  $16\frac{1}{2}$  Feet will acquire a Velocity of  $2s$  or  $32\frac{1}{2}$  Feet in a Second of Time. Therefore writing  $2s$  for  $v$ ,  $r$  for  $x$ ,  $r+s$  for

$a$ , we shall get this Analogy,  $\frac{(r+s)^{n+1} - r^{n+1}}{n+1} :$

$$\begin{aligned}
 4ss :: \frac{a^{n+1} - x^{n+1}}{n+1} : vv &= 4ss \times \frac{a^{n+1} - x^{n+1}}{r+s^{n+1} - r^{n+1}} \\
 &= (\text{because } r+s^{n+1} - r^{n+1} = \overline{n+1} \times r^n s \text{ nearly}) 4ss \times \\
 &\frac{a^{n+1} - x^{n+1}}{\overline{n+1} \times r^n s}; \text{ and } v = 2s \sqrt{\frac{a^{n+1} - x^{n+1}}{\overline{n+1} \times r^n s}}, \text{ the} \\
 &\text{Feet described in a Second.}
 \end{aligned}$$

COR. 1. If  $n = -2$ , then  $v = 2r \sqrt{\frac{s \times a - x}{ax}}$ , therefore the Velocity of a Body falling from an infinite Distance to the Surface of the Earth will be  $2\sqrt{rs}$ .

COR. 2. If  $n = 0$ , then  $v = 2\sqrt{s \times a - x}$ .

COR. 3. If  $n = 1$ , then  $\sqrt{\frac{2s}{r} \times aa - xx}$ . Therefore a Body falling from the Surface of the Earth to the Center acquires the Velocity  $\sqrt{2rs}$ .

# PROB. V.

To find the Time wherein a falling Body will descend 216.  
 through any Space towards the Earth, being acted  
 upon by a Force which is as any Power of it's Distance  
 from the Earth's Center.

The same Things supposed as in the last Problem,  
 we shall have, the Moment of Time  $\propto \frac{\text{Mom. Space}}{\text{Velocity}}$ ,  
 universally. Since a descending Body at the Earth's  
 Surface acquires the Velocity  $2s$  in the Time  $p$  or  
 1 Second, therefore by the Laws of uniform Motion,  
 $2s : p :: x : \frac{px}{2s} = \text{Moment of Time, wherein } x$   
 is

is described with Velocity  $2s$ . Hence from the universal Proportion,  $\frac{p\dot{x}}{2s} : \frac{\dot{x}}{2s} :: t' : \frac{-\dot{x}}{v}$ ; therefore  $t' = \frac{-p\dot{x}}{v} = \frac{-\dot{x}}{v}$  (because  $p = 1$ ). And  $i = \frac{-\dot{x}}{v} =$  (by the last Problem)  $\frac{-\dot{x}}{2s\sqrt{\frac{a^{n+1} - x^{n+1}}{n+1 \times r^n}}}$ ;

whence  $t =$  Fluent of  $\frac{-\dot{x}}{2s\sqrt{\frac{a^{n+1} - x^{n+1}}{n+1 \times r^n}}}$ , expressed

in Seconds.

COR. 1. If  $n = -2$ ,  $t =$  Fluent of  $-\frac{1}{2r}\sqrt{\frac{a}{s}} \times \frac{x^{\frac{1}{2}}\dot{x}}{\sqrt{a-x}}$   
 $=$  (by Form 10 and 11)  $\frac{1}{2r}\sqrt{\frac{a}{s}} \times \frac{ax - xxx}{\sqrt{a-x}} - \frac{a}{2r}\sqrt{\frac{a}{s}}$   
 $\times ,017453 \times$  Degrees in the Arch whose Sine is  $\sqrt{\frac{x}{a}}$ , and Radius 1. And when duly corrected,  
 the Time  $t = \sqrt{\frac{aax - axx}{4rrs}} + \frac{,017453a}{2r}\sqrt{\frac{a}{s}} \times$  De-  
 grees in the Arch whose Cofine is  $\sqrt{\frac{x}{a}}$ , and Radi-  
 us 1. And the Time of descending to the Center is  
 $\frac{3.1416a}{4r}\sqrt{\frac{a}{s}}$ .

COR. 2. If  $n = 0$ , then  $i = \frac{-\dot{x}}{\sqrt{4s \times a - x}}$ , and  $t = \sqrt{\frac{a-x}{s}}$ .

COR. 3. If  $n = 1$ , then  $i = \sqrt{\frac{r}{2s}} \times \frac{-\dot{x}}{\sqrt{aa - xx}}$ , and  
 (by Form 10)  $t = -\sqrt{\frac{r}{2s}} \times ,017453$  Degrees of the  
 Arch



Arch whose Sine is  $\frac{x}{a}$ , and Radius 1. And being FIG.  
 duly corrected,  $t = ,017453 \sqrt{\frac{r}{2s}} \times$  Number of De-  
 grees in the Arch whose Cofine is  $\frac{x}{a}$ , and Radius 1.  
 Hence the Time of descending to the Center will be  
 $\frac{3.1416}{2} \sqrt{\frac{r}{2s}}$ : And therefore all the Times of  
 Descent from any Altitudes whatsoever will be equal.

## S C H O L I U M.

If  $t$  be given to find  $x$ ; Find the Fluent of  $\dot{i} =$   
 $-\frac{1}{2}r \sqrt{\frac{a}{s}} \times \frac{x^{\frac{1}{2}}\dot{x}}{\sqrt{a-x}}$ , or  $\sqrt{\frac{2r}{s}} \times \frac{-\dot{x}}{\sqrt{aa-xx}}$ , by  
 infinite Series and revert the Series. And if either  $t$   
 or  $v$  be given the other may be found by first finding  
 $x$ . And hence a Body being projected upwards with  
 any Velocity, it's Height may be found, and the  
 Time of it's Ascent.

## P R O B. VI.

*The Velocity and Direction of a Projectile, and the Law  
 of centripetal Force being given; to find the Velocities,  
 Times and Angles of Revolution.*

Let  $C$  be the Center of Force, and let the Body be 217.  
 projected from  $V$  in Direction  $VA$  with Velocity  $b$   
 describing the Space  $b$  in the Time  $g$ ; and let  $p$  be the  
 Velocity and  $q$  the Space which the Force at  $V$  will  
 generate in the same Time  $g$ . To the Center  $C$  de-  
 scribe the Circle  $VXH$ , draw the Radii  $CX$ ,  $CV$  in-  
 finitely

FIG. finitely near, cutting the Trajectory in  $I$  and  $K$ , and  
 217. describe the Arch  $Kr$ . Call  $CV$ ,  $a$ ;  $CI$ ,  $x$ ;  $VI$ ,  $u$ ;  $VX$ ,  $z$ ;  $Ir$ ,  $\dot{x}$ ;  $Kr$ ,  $\dot{y}$ ;  $IX$ ,  $\dot{z}$ ;  $IK$ ,  $\dot{u}$ : And let  $t$  = Time of describing  $VI$ , and  $t'$  of describing  $IK$ ,  $s$  = Sine,  $c$  = Cosine of the Angle  $CVA$ , and let the Force in any Place  $I$  be as  $x^n$ , and  $v$  = Velocity in  $I$ . Then

1. By the Resolution of Forces, the Force to accelerate the Body in Direction of the Curve is  $x^n \times \frac{Ir}{IK} = x^n \times \frac{-\dot{x}}{\dot{u}}$ ; but by the Laws of uniform Motion  $t' \propto \frac{\dot{u}}{v}$ , and  $v \propto \text{Force} \times t' \propto \text{Force} \times \frac{\dot{u}}{v}$ , and

$vv \propto \text{Force} \times \dot{u}$ , universally. Whence  $vv \propto \frac{-x^n \dot{x}}{\dot{u}}$   
 $\times \dot{u} \propto -x^n \dot{x}$ . Hence therefore the Moment of Velocity

depends not at all on the Angle  $KIC$ , but upon  $\dot{x}$  the Moment of perpendicular Descent, and is therefore the same at all Inclinations as if the Body descended perpendicularly. Now to find the Moment of Velocity in  $V$ ; by the Laws of uniformly accelerated Motion, the Velocity generated is as the Time, or as the Space uniformly described with a given Velocity: And since in the Time of describing  $2q$ , the Velocity

$p$  is generated, therefore  $2q : p :: \dot{x} : \frac{p\dot{x}}{2q} = \text{Moment of Velocity generated at } V \text{ whilst } \dot{x} \text{ is described with Velocity } p$ . Here therefore the Value of  $vv$  is  $\frac{pp\dot{x}}{2q}$ , and Force  $\times$  Moment of Space is  $a^n \dot{x}$ . There-

fore from the universal Proportion  $\frac{pp\dot{x}}{2q} : a^n \dot{x} :: vv$   
 $: -x^n \dot{x} :: vv : -x^n \dot{x}$ , whence  $vv = \frac{-ppx^n \dot{x}}{2qa^n}$ , and the

Fluent  $v^2 = \frac{-ppx^{n+1}}{n+1 \times qa^n}$ . But in  $V$ ,  $x=0$ , and  $v=b$ ,

therefore

therefore by Correction  $vv = bb + \frac{ppa}{n+1.q} - \frac{ppx^{n+1}}{n+1.qa^n}$ .

But here if  $n = -1$ , then  $vv = bb + \frac{ppa}{q} \times \text{Log.} \frac{a}{x}$ .

2. Again, since the Velocity is every where reciprocally as the Perpendicular let fall on the Tangent; and these Perpendiculars in  $V$  and  $I$  are  $sa$ , and

$\frac{xy}{u}$ ; therefore  $b : v :: \frac{xy}{u} : sa$ , then is  $y = \frac{asb}{vx} u =$

$\frac{asb}{vx} \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$ , and by Reduction  $y = \frac{asbx}{\sqrt{v^2x^2 - a^2s^2b^2}}$ .

But by similar Triangles  $x : y :: a : z = \frac{ay}{x}$ , and

$\dot{z} = \frac{ay}{x}$ , therefore  $\dot{z} = \frac{asbx}{x\sqrt{v^2x^2 - a^2s^2b^2}}$ .

3. Lastly, since  $t' \propto \frac{xy}{2}$ , the Moment of the

Area, or the Time  $\propto$  Area; and in  $V$ , the Area =

$\frac{asb}{2}$ ; therefore as  $g : asb :: t' : xy :: i : xy$ ,

then will  $i = \frac{gxy}{asb}$ , or  $i = \frac{gbxx}{b\sqrt{v^2x^2 - a^2s^2b^2}}$ .

Consequently substituting for  $vv$  it's equal, in the Values of  $\dot{z}$  and  $i$ , the Fluents will give  $z$  and  $t$ .

COR. 1. Hence the Apfides of the Trajectory are easily found; for then it will be  $\dot{u} = y = \frac{asb}{vx} u$ , or

$asb = vx$ ; therefore  $vv = \frac{a^2s^2b^2}{xx} = bb + \frac{ppa}{n+1 \times q}$

$- \frac{ppx^{n+1}}{n+1 \times qa^n}$ . Whence  $x$  will be found: And if

two Roots of this Equation be found; then the correspondent Fluents  $z$  will give the Position of the Apfides.

FIG. COR. 2. Since the Sine of the Angle  $CIK = \frac{\dot{y}}{u}$   
 $= \frac{asb}{vx}$ ; therefore if that Angle be given the Di-  
 stance  $x$  may be found; or if  $x$  be given the Angle  
 may be found.

COR. 3. If the Body be projected at right Angles  
 to  $CV$ , then  $s=1$ , and, by Cor. 1, we shall have

$bbxx + \frac{ppax^2}{n+1 \times q} - \frac{ppx^{n+3}}{n+1 \times qa^n} = a^2bb$ ; in which  
 one Root is  $a$ ; and finding  $x$  another Root in the  
 Equation, the Fluent  $z$  may thence be had; and con-  
 sequently the Motion of the Apfides.

## P R O B. VII.

*To find the Time of a Body's descending through any  
 Arch of a Cycloid.*

218. Let  $AC$  be the Axis,  $BV$ ,  $DF$ , *cf* Ordinates. Let  
 $AC=a$ ,  $VC=b$ ,  $VF=x$ ,  $Ff=\dot{x}$ ,  $BD=z$ ,  $De=\dot{z}$ ,  
 $s=16\frac{1}{12}$  Feet.  $t$  = Time of describing  $BD$ :  
 And let the Body fall from  $B$ .

The Times of describing any Spaces uniformly are  
 as the Spaces directly, and the Velocities reciprocally;  
 but the Velocities are as the Square Roots of the  
 Heights fallen from; and  $2s$  is the Space uniformly  
 described in 1 Second by the Velocity acquired by

falling through  $s$ : Therefore  $\frac{2s}{\sqrt{s}} : 1 \text{ Second} ::$   
 $\frac{\dot{z}}{\sqrt{x}} : t' = \frac{\dot{z}}{2\sqrt{sx}}$ ; or  $i = \frac{\dot{z}}{2\sqrt{sx}}$ ; but (by Ex. 8.

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Prob. VIII. Sect. II.)  $\dot{z} = \dot{x} \sqrt{\frac{a}{b-x}}$ ; whence  $i =$  FIG. 218.

$\frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\frac{a}{s}} \times \frac{x^{-\frac{1}{2}} \dot{x}}{\sqrt{b-x}}$ . Whence the Fluent (by Form

the 10th) is  $t = \sqrt{\frac{a}{s}} \times \text{Arch whose Sine is } \sqrt{\frac{x}{b}}$ , and

Radius 1. And when  $x = b$ , then  $t = \frac{3.1416}{2} \sqrt{\frac{a}{s}}$ .

Whence if a Pendulum be made to vibrate in the Arch of the Cycloid,  $2t$  or the Time of one entire

Vibration will be  $3.1416 \sqrt{\frac{a}{s}}$ , in Seconds.

COR. 1. Hence all the Times are equal in which Bodies descending from any Points  $Z, B, D$  shall arrive at the lowest Point  $C$ : And all the Times of Vibration will be equal among themselves.

COR. 2. It appears by Ex. 3. Prob. VII. Sect. II. that if  $ZP, PQ$  be two Cycloids, whose Cuspids are at  $P$ , and Vertices at  $Z$  and  $Q$ ; then if a Pendulum  $PC$  be suspended at  $P$ , so that in oscillating it may fold about the Curves  $ZP, PQ$ ; then the Point  $C$  will describe the Cycloid  $ZCQ$ : And therefore the Time of it's Vibration will be  $3.1416 \times \text{Time of a Body's falling through } AC$ .

## P R O B. VIII.

FIG. 219. To find the Force wherewith a Corpufcle  $P$  is attracted to the Plane of a Circle  $EQD$ , according to any Law of centripetal Force.

Let  $A$  be the Center, and  $AP$  perpendicular to the Plane of the Circle, and let the Force of each Particle be as the  $n^{\text{th}}$  Power of the Distance.

Put  $AP = a$ ,  $AE = x$ ,  $c = 3.1416$ . And let the Body  $m$  attract the Corpufcle  $P$ , at the Distance  $d$ , with the Force  $f$ ; then the Force which any Particle  $x$  attracts the Corpufcle  $P$  towards  $E$  is  $\frac{fx}{md^n} \times$

$\frac{1}{aa + xx}^{\frac{n}{2}}$ , and the Force of all the Particles in the Periphery  $EQD$  is  $\frac{2cfxx}{md^n} \times \frac{1}{aa + xx}^{\frac{n}{2}}$ : And by Me-

chanics the Force in Direction  $PA = \frac{2cfaxx}{md^n} \times$

$\frac{1}{aa + xx}^{\frac{n-1}{2}}$ ; and the Fluxion of the Force  $= \frac{2cfaxx}{md^n} \times$

$\frac{1}{aa + xx}^{\frac{n-1}{2}}$ ; whose Fluent is  $\frac{2cfa}{md^n} \times \frac{1}{aa + xx}^{\frac{n+1}{2}}$ .

But in  $A$ ,  $x=0$ ; therefore by Correction, the Force exerted on  $P$  by the Plane of the Circle  $ED$  is  $= \frac{2cfa}{md^n} \times$

$\frac{1}{aa + xx}^{\frac{n+1}{2}} - \frac{2cfa^{n+2}}{(n+1) \times md^n}$ . But if  $n = -1$

then the Force  $= \frac{cfad}{m} \times 2.302585 \text{ Log. } \frac{aa + xx}{aa}$ ;  
COR. 1.

COR. 1. Hence if  $n=1$ , the Force of the Circle exerted on the Particle  $P$  will be  $\frac{cfaxx}{md}$ , the same as if the said Circle were wholly collected into the Center  $A$ . FIG.

COR. 2. Therefore if  $n=1$ , a Sphere will attract any Particle  $P$  with the same Force as if the whole Sphere was contracted into the Center  $C$ . For taking the Circles  $ED$ ,  $ed$  parallel, and equidistant from the Center; the Sum of the Forces will be as the Sum of the two Circles each multiplied into it's Distance, or as either Circle into half the Sum of the Distances, that is into  $2PC$ ; or both Circles multiplied into  $PC$ ; and it is the same of all equidistant Circles that compose the Globe. 220.

COR. 3. If  $n = -2$ , the Force  $= \frac{2cfdd}{m} \times 1 - \frac{a}{\sqrt{aa+xx}}$  219.  
 $= \frac{2cfdd}{m} \times 1 - \frac{PA}{PE}.$

COR. 4. If  $n$  be less than  $-1$ , then the Force of the whole infinite Plane will be  $\frac{2cfa^{n+2}}{md^n \times -n-1}.$

# PROB. IX.

To find the Force wherewith an infinite Solid, plain on one Side  $LL$ , attracts a Corpuscle placed at  $C$ : Supposing the Law of Attraction to be inversely as some Power of the Distance greater than 1. 221.

Draw the infinite Line  $CGK$ , perpendicular to the Plane  $LG$ , and through the Points  $I$ ,  $K$ , infinitely near

FIG. near each other, draw two Planes parallel to  $Ll$ ;  
 221. and let  $CG = a$ ,  $CJ = x$ ,  $IK = \dot{x}$ , and the Force as  $x^n$ ; and by Cor. 4. Prob. VIII. the Force wherewith the Solid contained between the Planes at  $I$ ,  $K$ ,

attracts the Corpuscle, will be  $\frac{2cfx^{n+2}\dot{x}}{md^n x - n - 1}$ , and

it's Fluxion  $\frac{2cfx^{n+2}\ddot{x}}{md^n x - n - 1}$ , whose Fluent is  $\frac{2cf}{-md^n}$

$\times \frac{x^{n+3}}{n+1 \times n+3}$ . And when duly corrected the Force

will be  $\frac{2cf}{n+1 \times n+3 \times md^n} \times \frac{a^{n+3} - x^{n+3}}{a^{n+3}}$ .

COR. 1. If  $n$  be less than  $-3$ , and the Solid infinite towards  $K$ ; the Force will be  $\frac{2cfa^{n+3}}{n+1 \times n+3 \times md^n}$ .

COR. 2. Hence therefore the Force at different Distances from the infinite Solid (when  $n$  is less than  $-3$ ) will be as  $a^{n+3}$  or  $CG^{n+3}$ .

COR. 3. Hence also (if  $n$  be less than  $-3$ ), the Force of a very great Body upon a very small Particle, at any extremely small Distances, will be as the  $n+3^{\text{th}}$  Power of the Distance, nearly.

COR. 4. And if the Corpuscle be placed within the Solid at  $H$ , so as  $GH = GC$ , the Force will be the very same as if it were placed at  $C$ , so far without it. For, taking  $IH = GH$  the Solids  $HG$  and  $HI$  destroy one another's Effects.



## PROB. X.

To find the Force wherewith a Sphere attracts a Corpuscle P, situated either without or within the Sphere; supposing the Forces of all the Particles to be reciprocally as the Squares of their Distances. FIG.

Case 1. Let P be without the Sphere. Draw the Axis PAB, and the Ordinates ED, ed infinitely near, and let S be the Center, put  $PS = a$ ,  $PD = x$ ,  $Dd = \dot{x}$ ,  $AS = r$ ,  $ED = y$ ,  $bb = aa - rr$ . Then  $PE = \sqrt{xx + yy} = \sqrt{xx + rr - a - x^2} = \sqrt{rr - aa + 2ax} = \sqrt{2ax - bb}$ . But by Cor. 3. Prob. VIII. the Force of the infinitely thin Solid contained between the

Planes of the Circles DE, de is  $= \frac{2fcdd\dot{x}}{m} \times 1 - \frac{PD}{PE}$ ,

therefore the Fluxion of the Force is  $\frac{2cfdd}{m} \times$

$\dot{x} - \frac{xx}{\sqrt{2ax - bb}}$ , whose Fluent is  $\frac{2cfdd}{m} \times$

$x - \frac{bb + ax}{3aa} \sqrt{2ax - bb}$ , but in A where the Force

is 0,  $x = a - r$ ; therefore by proper Correction,

the Force of the Segment EAF is  $= \frac{2cfdd}{m} \times$  into :

$x - a + r + \frac{bb + aa - ar}{3aa} \times a - r - \frac{bb + ax}{3aa} \times PE$ ;

and when  $x = a + r$ , the Force of the whole Sphere

is  $= \frac{2cfdd}{m} \times \frac{2r^3}{3aa}$ .

Case 2.

FIG. Case 2. Let  $P$  be within the Sphere. Let  $PQ = b$ ,  
 223.  $PD = x$ , then  $PE = \sqrt{rr - aa + 2ax} = \sqrt{bb + 2ax}$ ;  
 therefore (by Cor. 3. Pr. VIII.) the Fluxion of the

Force at  $D$  is  $\frac{2cfdd}{m} \times \dot{x} - \frac{x\dot{x}}{\sqrt{bb + 2ax}}$ ; whose

Fluent is  $\frac{2cfdd}{m} x : x + \frac{bb - ax}{3aa} \sqrt{bb + 2ax}$ : but

in  $P$ ,  $x = 0$ ; therefore the Force of the Zone or  
 Section  $QEDFR = x + \frac{bb - ax}{3aa} \sqrt{bb + 2ax} - \frac{b^3}{3aa}$ .

In which writing  $a + r$  for  $x$ , there comes out  $\frac{2cfdd}{m} x$

$\frac{r^3 + a^3 - b^3}{3aa}$  for the Attraction of the Segment  $QBR$ .

And by a like Process the Attraction of the Segment

$QAR = \frac{2cfdd}{m} x - \frac{r^3 - a^3 - b^3}{3aa}$ : whose Difference

is  $\frac{2cfdd}{m} x - \frac{2}{3}a$ , the absolute Force of the Corpuscle

$P$  towards the Center; which is the same as the Force  
 of a Sphere, whose Radius is  $SP$ , acting on the Cor-  
 puscle  $P$  at it's Surface.

COR. 1. Hence the Force of the Sphere upon the  
 Particle  $P$  placed without the Sphere is the very same  
 as if the whole Sphere was collected into the Center;  
 and exerted the Sum of all the Forces from that Cen-  
 ter. For  $\frac{4r^3c}{3aa} =$  Sphere divided by the Square of

the Distance; and  $\frac{m}{dd} : f :: \frac{4r^3c}{3aa} : \frac{4cr^3d^2f}{3ma^2}$  the

very same Force of the Sphere before found. And  
 hence it is also evident, that the Forces of Spheres are  
 accurately in the reciprocal Ratio of the Squares of  
 the Distances from their Centers.

COR. 2. The Force wherewith any Corpuscle  $P$   
 within a Sphere, is attracted to the Center, is accu-  
 rately as it's Distance from the Center.

## PROB. XI.

To find the Force wherewith a Spheroid attracts a Corpuscle *P*, lying upon it's Surface in the Axis *PB*. FIG.

Let  $PB=2r$ , Diameter  $GH=2a$ ,  $AP=x$ , then 224.

$$AE = \frac{a}{r} \sqrt{2rx - xx}, \text{ and } PE = \sqrt{xx + \frac{aa}{rr} \times 2rx - xx}$$

$$= \frac{1}{r} \sqrt{2ra^2x + rrx - aaxx} = \frac{1}{r} \sqrt{2raax + bbxx},$$

putting  $bb = rr - aa$ . By Cor. 3. Prob. VIII. the

$$\text{Fluxion of the Force at } A \text{ is } = \frac{2cfd\dot{x}}{m} \times 1 - \frac{PA}{PE}$$

$$= \frac{2cfd\dot{x}}{m} \times \dot{x} - \frac{rx^{\frac{1}{2}}\dot{x}}{\sqrt{2ra^2 + bbx}} : \text{ Let } \phi = \frac{2.30258}{\frac{1}{2}b} \times$$

$$\text{Log : } \frac{b\sqrt{x} + \sqrt{2raa + bbx}}{\sqrt{2raa}}, \text{ if } r \text{ be greater than } a :$$

$$\text{or } \phi = \frac{.017453}{\frac{1}{2}b} \times \text{Degrees in the Arch, whose}$$

$$\text{Sine is } \frac{b}{a} \sqrt{\frac{x}{2r}}, \text{ if } r \text{ is less than } a ; \text{ and the Fluent}$$

$$\text{is } = \frac{2cfd\dot{x}}{m} \times x : x + \frac{rraa}{bb} \phi - \frac{r}{bb} \sqrt{2ra^2x + b^2x^2} :$$

$$= \text{Force wherewith the Segment } PEF \text{ attracts the Particle at } P.$$

COR. I. Hence the Force wherewith the whole Spheroid attracts the Particle *P* is =  $\frac{2cddf}{m} \times$  into

$$2r + \frac{r^2a^2}{bb} \phi - \frac{2r^3}{bb} : \text{ where } \phi = \frac{2.302585}{\sqrt{rr - aa}} \times$$

O o

2 Log :

FIG.

$2 \text{ Log} : \frac{r + \sqrt{rr - aa}}{a}$ : or  $\phi = \frac{.017453}{\sqrt{aa - rr}} \times \text{twice}$   
 the Number of Degrees in the Arch whose Sine is  
 $\frac{\sqrt{aa - rr}}{a}$ , Radius = 1, according as  $r$  is greater  
 or lesser than  $a$ .

COR. 2. If  $b$  be very small, the Force of the Seg-  
 ment  $EPF = \frac{2cdd}{m} f \times \text{into } x - \frac{2rx}{3a} \sqrt{\frac{x}{2r}} +$   
 $\frac{bbxx}{10a^3} \sqrt{\frac{x}{2r}}$ : very near. And the Force of the  
 whole Spheroid is  $= \frac{2cfd}{m} \times \text{into } 2r - \frac{4rr}{3a} +$   
 $\frac{2rr}{5a^3} bb$ ; as will appear by infinite Series, or Form  
 the 16th,

## P R O B. XII,

*To find the Motion of a Ray of Light passing into a  
 refracting Medium.*

225. Let there be two Mediums separated by the re-  
 fracting Space  $Rdd$  terminated by the Parallel Planes  
 $RA, Dd$ ; and let the Ray, moving in the Direction  
 $GH$ , pass from  $H$  to  $I$ , and in it's Passage be  
 acted upon, in Lines perpendicular to the Planes,  
 by any Force which is equal at equal Distances  
 from either Plane, and at all Distances as any  
 Powers or Sums of Powers of the Distance there-  
 from: And let  $b = \text{Velocity in } H$ ,  $v = \text{Velocity}$   
 in  $P$ ,  $CP = x$ ,  $PI = z$ ,  $PF = z$ ,  $t = \text{Time of}$   
 describing  $PF$ . And let the Force be as  $A + Bx^m + Cx^n$

+  $Dx^r \mathcal{E}c = \mathcal{Q}$ ; then will the Force in Direction  $PF$  be  $\frac{\dot{x}}{z} \mathcal{Q}$ . And since the Velocity  $\propto \frac{\text{Space}}{\text{Time}}$ , and Moment of Velocity  $\propto \text{Force} \times \text{Time}$ , therefore  $v\dot{v} \propto \mathcal{Q}\dot{x}$ , or  $v\dot{v} \propto \mathcal{Q}\dot{x}$ ; assume  $p$  a given Quantity, and let  $v\dot{v} = p\mathcal{Q}\dot{x}$ , and let  $F$  be the Fluent of  $\mathcal{Q}\dot{x}$ , then  $v^2 = 2pF$ , and by Correction  $vv - bb = 2pF$ , and  $vv = bb + 2pF$ . Hence the Ray will always have the same Velocity in the same Medium  $DIK$ , whatever be the Angle of Incidence.

Let the Motion of the Ray  $GH$  be divided into two  $GA$ ,  $AH$ , one parallel the other perpendicular to the Plane  $RA$ . Then since the parallel Motion  $AH$  is not at all changed by the Actions of the Forces perpendicular to these Planes: Therefore if  $ID$  be made  $= AH$ , and  $DR$  perpendicular to  $DI$ , then  $IK$  will be described in the same Time as  $GH$ . Therefore drawing  $IE$  parallel to  $GH$ , the Velocity in  $H$  to the Velocity in  $I$ , is as  $GH$  or  $EI$  to  $IK$ , that is as the Sine of the Angle of Refraction to the Sine of the Angle of Incidence. And therefore the Velocity of Light in Vacuo, to it's Velocity in Air of a mean Density at the Surface of the Earth; is as  $999\frac{3}{4}$  to 1. For by Experiment the Sines of Refraction and Incidence are in that Ratio.

COR. 1. The Sine of the Angle of Incidence at one Plane, is to the Sine of the Angle of Emergence from the other Plane, in a given Ratio. For the Velocity  $v$  at the second Plane will always be equal to the given Quantity  $\sqrt{bb + 2pF}$ , and the Sine of Incidence to the Sine of Emergence, as this given Quantity to  $b$ .

COR. 2. If the Ray was to fall on  $I$  in Direction  $KI$ , with the Velocity it has at  $I$ , it would return in the same Curve  $IPH$ , and so go to  $G$ , and obtain it's first Velocity. For the same Forces that did before

FIG. accelerate it's Passage, will now equally retard it in returning. Therefore,

226. COR. 3. If the Ray have a greater Velocity in the first Medium, than in the second, and the Angle of Incidence  $GHA$  be continually diminished, the Ray will at last be reflected; and the Angle of Reflection  $gha$  will be equal to the Angle of Incidence  $GHA$ .

For let the Angle  $GHA$  be such, that the Ratio of it's Cosine to the Radius may be equal or greater than the Ratio of the Sine of Incidence of the first Medium, to the Sine of Emergence in the second; and the Ray at  $R$  will be moving in a Direction parallel to the Planes; but being afterwards acted on by the same Forces as before, it will be turned back describing the Line  $Rbg$  similar and equal to  $RHG$ , and the Angle  $gha = GHA$ .

COR. 4. Hence if there be two similar Mediums whose Densities are  $p$  and  $q$ ; and the Velocities after Refraction into each of them  $z$  and  $y$ . then will  $zz - bb : yy - bb :: p : q$ .

For since the Forces of Attraction are made towards Bodies, these Forces will be proportional to the Causes that produce them, and therefore will be as the Densities of these Bodies, supposing the internal Form and Constitution of the Bodies to be in other Respects the same. The Forces therefore exerted at any equal Distances by these two Mediums will be as  $pQ$  and  $qQ$ ; whence will be had  $zz - bb = 2pF$ , and  $yy - bb = 2qF$ ; whence  $zz - bb : yy - bb :: p : q$ , that is as the Densities of the Bodies, nearly.

COR. 5. If Light pass through several refracting Mediums, the Sum of all the Refractions will be equal to the single Refraction it would have suffered, by passing immediately out of the first Medium into the last.

For supposing these several Mediums to be separated by parallel Planes, the Refraction, Velocity, or Motion generating in approaching any one of these Mediums, will be destroyed again in it's receding (on the other Side) from the same Medium. And therefore the Motion of the Ray can only be affected with the Force of that Medium it at last moves in.

### SCHOLIUM.

Though it is not known to what precise Distance the refractive Power of any Medium reaches; yet we are sure it is contained in an exceeding small Compass. And therefore the Curve  $HPI$ , and consequently the Points  $H, I$  may be taken in Practice only as one Point.

There are few or no Examples among all the Phenomena of Nature that afford so clear a Proof of the prodigious Forces of the small Particles of Matter, as the Motion and Refraction of Light does. For notwithstanding the amazing Velocity of the Rays, and the extremely small Space and Time that any refracting Surface has to act in; and yet to produce such a sensible Refraction as we see it does, must evince that the Forces exerted on these small Bodies must be surprizingly great, and do really exceed all Comprehension.

PROB.

## P R O B. XIII.

*The Velocity of a Globe, moving in a right Line, and it's Density, and the Density of the resisting Medium in which it moves being given; to find the Time, Velocity, and Space described.*

Here we suppose the Medium to be uniform, and that the Projectile is acted on by no Force but the Resistance of the Medium, and that to be as the Square of the Velocity.

Let  $W$  = Weight of the Globe,  $d$  = the Diameter,  $q$  = it's Density,  $p$  = Density of the Medium,  $s$  = a Space of  $16\frac{1}{2}$  Feet,  $b$  = Space the Globe at first can describe in 1 Second, or the first Velocity;  $x$  = any Space described,  $t$  = Time of describing it, and  $v$  = Velocity at the End of that Time. Here I measure the Velocity by the Space described in a Second, and the Time is Seconds.

1. It is proved by Experiments that the Resistance of the Globe is to the Force by which it's Motion may be generated in the Time of describing  $\frac{2}{3}$  it's Diameter, as the Density of the Fluid to the Density of the Globe nearly. The Velocity generated in a given Body is as the Force and Time conjunctly, therefore the Force is as the Velocity divided by the Times or by Spaces uniformly described in these Times, therefore  $\frac{2s}{b} : w :: \frac{b}{\frac{2}{3}d} : \frac{3bbw}{16ds} = \text{Force that will generate the Globe's Motion in the Time it describes } \frac{2}{3}d;$



$\frac{3}{2}d$ ; therefore  $\frac{3bbp}{16dsq}W =$  Resistance of the Globe

with Velocity  $b$ , and likewise  $\frac{3pvv}{16dsq}W =$  Resistance with the Velocity  $v$ . Now 1 Second :  $2s$  (Velocity of a falling Body) ::  $t' : 2st' =$  Velocity generated in the Time  $t'$  by Gravity. Now since the Moment of Velocity is, in all Cases, as the Force and Moment of

Time; therefore  $2st' : wt' :: -\dot{v} : \frac{3pvv}{16dsq}W \times t'$ ;

therefore  $\dot{v} = \frac{-3pv^2t'}{8dq}$ , or  $v^{-2}\dot{v} = \frac{-3pt'}{8dq}$ ; whence

the Fluent  $v^{-1} = \frac{3pt'}{8dq}$ . But when  $t = 0$ ,  $v = b$ ,

therefore the Fluent corrected is  $\frac{1}{v} - \frac{1}{b} = \frac{3pt'}{8dq}$ , which reduced is  $8dqv + 3pbtv = 8dq b$ .

2. 1 Second :  $2s$  (Space uniformly described with Velocity  $2s$ ) ::  $t' : 2st' =$  Moment of Space described with Velocity  $2s$ . And since

Moment of Velocity  $\propto \frac{\text{Force}}{\text{Velocity}} \times$  Moment of Space; and the Moment of Velocity in falling Bodies was found before  $= 2st'$ . Therefore  $2st' :$

$\frac{W \times 2st'}{2s} :: -\dot{v} : \frac{3pvvW}{16dsq} \times \frac{x}{v}$ ; whence  $-\dot{v} =$

$\frac{3pvx}{8dq}$ , and  $\frac{-\dot{v}}{v} = \frac{3px}{8dq}$ . Therefore the Fluent

is  $\frac{3px}{8dq} = -\text{Log. } v$ . And by Correction  $\frac{3px}{8dq} =$

$2.302585 \text{ Log. } \frac{b}{v}$  :

COR. I. Hence  $x = \frac{8dq}{3p} \times 2.302585 \text{ Log. } 1 + \frac{3pbt}{8dq}$  :  
this appears by expunging  $v$ .

COR. 2.

COR. 2. If  $T = \frac{8dq}{3bp}$ , then  $v = \frac{Tb}{T+t}$ ; and  
 $x = bT \times 2.302585 \text{ Log: } \frac{T+t}{T}$ ; and  $\text{Log: } \frac{v}{b} =$   
 $\frac{-x}{2.30258bT}$ .

## SCHOLIUM.

It is here laid down as a Principle that the Resistance of a Globe moving in a resisting Medium, is to the Force by which it's Motion may be generated in the Time of describing  $\frac{t}{3}$  it's Diameter; as the Density of the Medium to the Density of the Globe: Yet I have found by some Experiments that in swift Motions, the Resistance has been greater sometimes by a third or fourth Part. These Experiments I tried in a River, with a Globe of equal Density with the Water, by fastning a Thread to the Globe and to an Index inclosed in a Tube with a spiral Spring: For by the Divisions of the Index, as it was drawn out more or less, I could measure the Resistance.

## P R O B. XIV.

*If a Body in a uniform Medium, being uniformly acted on by the Force of Gravity, ascends or descends in a right Line; To find the Times, Velocities, and Spaces described.*

Suppose as before  $W$  = Weight of the Globe.

$d$  = it's Diameter.

$q$  = it's Density.

$p$  = Density of the Medium.

$s =$

$s = 16\frac{1}{2}$  Feet the Space through which a heavy Body descends by Gravity in a Second.

$x =$  Space described from the beginning of the Motion.

$t =$  Time of describing  $x$ .

$v =$  Velocity at the End of the Time  $t$ .

$b =$  Velocity the Body is projected upwards with, if it ascends. Here I measure the Velocity by the Space uniformly described in a Second.

The comparative Weight of the Globe in the Medium will be  $\frac{q-p}{q}W$ . And we shall find, as in the

last Problem  $\frac{3pvv}{16dsq}W =$  Resistance of the Globe

moving with Velocity  $v$ ; and consequently  $\frac{q-p}{q}W \pm$

$\frac{3pvv}{16dsq}W$  is the Force acting on the Globe according

as it ascends or descends; call this Force  $y$ . Now

$2st' =$  Moment of Velocity generated by Gravity in

the Time  $t'$ : And the Moment of Velocity being as

the Force and Moment of Time universally; therefore

$2st' : Wt' :: \mp v : y' :: \mp v : y$ ; whence  $i =$

$\mp \frac{Wv}{2y} = \frac{\mp 8dqvv}{q-p \times 16ds \pm 3pvv}$ .

Again, let a falling Body describe any small Space

$\dot{z}$  at the End of 1 Second; then it will be,  $2s$  (Space

uniformly described with Velocity  $2s$ ): 1 Second ::

$\dot{z} : \frac{\dot{z}}{2s} =$  Time of describing  $\dot{z}$  with Velocity  $2s$ . And

since the Moment of Space  $\propto$  Velocity  $\times$  Moment

of Time universally: therefore  $\dot{z} : 2s \times \frac{\dot{z}}{2s} :: \dot{x} : vt'$

$:: \dot{x} : vt$ . Whence  $\dot{x} = vt = \frac{\mp 8dqvv}{q-p \times 16ds \pm 3pvv}$ .

Case 1. When the Body ascends,  $i = \frac{-8dq\dot{v}}{q-p \times 16ds + 3p\dot{v}\dot{v}}$ ,

and (by Form 5) the Fluent  $t = \frac{-8dq \times ,017453}{\sqrt{q-p \times 48dsp}}$

$\times$  Degrees in the Arch whose Tangent is  $\sqrt{\frac{3p\dot{v}\dot{v}}{q-p \times 16ds}}$ .

But when  $t=0$ ,  $v=b$ ; and the Fluent corrected is  $t = \frac{2dq \times ,017453}{\sqrt{q-p \times 3dsp}} \times$  Degrees in the Difference of

the Arches whose Tangents are  $\sqrt{\frac{3pbb}{q-p \times 16ds}}$  and

$\sqrt{\frac{3p\dot{v}\dot{v}}{q-p \times 16ds}}$ ; therefore when  $v=0$ , the whole

Time of Ascent  $t = \frac{2dq \times ,017453}{\sqrt{q-p \times 3dsp}} \times$  Degrees in the

Arch whose Tangent is  $\frac{b}{4} \sqrt{\frac{3p}{q-p \times ds}}$ .

Likewise  $\dot{x} = \frac{-8dq\dot{v}\dot{v}}{q-p \times 16ds + 3p\dot{v}\dot{v}}$ , and (by Form

the 4<sup>th</sup>) the Fluent  $x = \frac{-2.3025 \times 8dq}{6p} \text{Log: } \frac{q-p \times 16ds + 3p\dot{v}\dot{v}}{q-p \times 16ds + 3p\dot{v}\dot{v}}$ .

And whenduly corrected  $x = \frac{4dq \times 2.30258}{3p}$

$\times \text{Log: } \frac{q-p \times 16ds + 3pbb}{q-p \times 16ds + 3p\dot{v}\dot{v}}$ .

Case 2. When the Globe descends  $i = \frac{8dq\dot{v}}{q-p \times 16ds - 3p\dot{v}\dot{v}}$ ,

and (by Form the 6th)  $t = \frac{dq \times 2.302585}{\sqrt{q-p \times 3dsp}} \times \text{Log:}$

$\frac{\sqrt{q-p \times 16ds + 3p\dot{v}\dot{v}}}{\sqrt{q-p \times 16ds - 3p\dot{v}\dot{v}}}$ .

Also

Also  $\dot{x} = \frac{8dq\dot{v}\dot{v}}{q-p \times 16ds - 3p\dot{v}\dot{v}}$ ; whence the

Fluent  $x = \frac{8dq \times 2.3025}{-6p} \text{Log: } \frac{q-p \times 16ds - 3p\dot{v}\dot{v}}{q-p \times 16ds - 3p\dot{v}\dot{v}}$ :

and when corrected  $x = \frac{4dq \times 2.302585}{3p} \times \text{Log: } \frac{q-p \times 16ds}{q-p \times 16ds - 3p\dot{v}\dot{v}}$ .

COR. 1. The greatest Velocity the Globe can acquire by an infinite Descent is  $\sqrt{\frac{q-p}{3p} \times 16ds}$ : For when  $x$  or  $t$  is infinite the Denominator  $q-p \times 16ds - 3p\dot{v}\dot{v} = 0$ .

COR. 2. Let  $G = q\sqrt{\frac{d}{q-p \times 3ps}}$ .

$$H = 4\sqrt{\frac{q-p \times ds}{3p}}$$

$$N = \text{Number of the Log. } \frac{.434294}{G}$$

Then  $t = 2.30258G \times \text{Log. } \frac{H+\dot{v}}{H-\dot{v}}$ , or  $N = \frac{H+\dot{v}}{H-\dot{v}}$ ,

which reduced gives  $\dot{v} = \frac{N-1}{N+1}H$ , when the Globe descends.

COR. 3.  $x = 2.302585 \times \frac{4dq}{3p} \times \text{Log: } \frac{HH}{HH-\dot{v}\dot{v}}$   
 $= 2.302585 \times \frac{4dq}{3p} \times \text{Log: } \frac{N+1}{4N}$ , when the Globe descends.

COR. 4. In like Manner the Velocity and Space may be found from the Time when the Globe ascends.

### SCHOLIUM.

The Density  $q$  must always exceed  $p$ , otherwise the Globe will not gravitate; contrary to the Supposition.

## PROB. XV.

*To find the Velocity and Resistance of a Globe oscillating in a Cycloid, in a resisting Medium.*

FIG. 218. Let  $Ba$  be the Arch described in one entire Oscillation,  $C$  the lowest Point, and  $CZ$  half the whole Cycloidal Arch equal to the Length of the Pendulum: Let the Globe descend from  $B$ , and put  $CZ = a$ ,  $CB = b$ ,  $BD = x$ , the rest as in the last Problem.

Then we shall find  $\frac{q-p}{q} W =$  comparative

Weight of the Globe in the Medium, and  $\frac{3pvv}{16dsq} W$

$=$  Resistance of the Globe moving with the Velocity  $v$ , in the Point  $D$ , as in the former Problems. Now it is known that  $CZ$  is to  $CD$ , as the Weight of the

Globe  $\frac{q-p}{q} W$  is to it's accelerating Gravity at  $D$ ,

which therefore is  $\frac{q-p}{q} W \times \frac{b-x}{a}$ . Therefore

the whole Force by which the Pendulum is urged in  $D$  is  $\frac{q-p}{aq} bW - \frac{q-p}{aq} Wx - \frac{3pv^2}{16dsq} W = y$ .

And therefore we shall find (the same as in Prob. XIV.)

$i = \frac{\dot{v}}{2sy} W$ , and  $\dot{x} = (vi =) \frac{v\dot{v}}{2sy} W$ . Put  $f =$

$\frac{q-p}{aq} \times 2s$ ,  $g = \frac{3p}{8dq}$ , and  $b = \frac{q-p}{aq} \times \frac{3p}{4dq} W$ :

and then  $i = \frac{\dot{v}}{bf - fx - gvv}$ , and  $\dot{x} = \frac{v\dot{v}}{bf - fx - gvv}$ :

And the Fluents will give  $t$  and  $x$ .

1. Since

1. Since  $\dot{x} = \frac{v\dot{v}}{bf - fx - gvv}$ , finding the Fluent (by the Help of Form the 4th and Rule 8. Prop. X.)

we have  $x = \frac{2.302585}{-2g} \text{Log: } bf - fx - gvv + \frac{f}{2g}$ ;

but when  $x = 0$ ,  $v = 0$ ; therefore the Fluent corrected

$$\text{is } x = \frac{2.302585}{2g} \times \text{Log: } \frac{bf + \frac{f}{2g}}{bf + \frac{f}{2g} - fx - gvv}.$$

Let  $n$  = Number belonging to the Logarithm  $\frac{2gx}{2.30258}$ ,

and then  $n = \frac{2bg + 1}{2bg + 1 - 2gx - \frac{2gg}{f}vv}$ , which

reduced gives  $vv = : \frac{n-1}{n}b + \frac{n-1}{2ng} - x : x \frac{f}{g}$ .

2. Let  $z = \frac{3pvv}{16dsq}W$  the Resistance in  $D$ , then

$vv = \frac{16dsq}{3pW}z$ , and  $v\dot{v} = \frac{8dsq\dot{z}}{3pW}$ ; expunge  $v$  and

$\dot{v}$  out of the Value of  $\dot{x}$ , and we shall have  $\dot{x} =$

$\frac{\dot{z}}{bb - bx - 2gz}$ , and the Fluent  $x = \frac{2.3025}{-2g} \text{Log: } bb -$

$bx - 2gz + \frac{b}{2g}$ : and when duly corrected  $x =$

$$\frac{2.302585}{2g} \times \text{Log: } \frac{b + \frac{1}{2g}}{b + \frac{1}{2g} - x - \frac{2gz}{b}}. \text{ Let}$$

$n$  = Number of the Logarithm  $\frac{2gx}{2.30258}$ ; then

will  $n = \frac{b + \frac{1}{2g}}{b + \frac{1}{2g} - x - \frac{2gz}{b}}$ , which reduced gives

$z = \frac{n-1}{n}b + \frac{n-1}{2gn} - x : x \text{ into } \frac{b}{2g}$ . COR.

COR. 1. In the lowest Point C,  $n$  = Number belonging to the Logarithm  $\frac{3pb}{2.30258 \times 4dq}$ . And

there the Velocity =  $\sqrt{\frac{n-1 \times 4dq}{3p}} - b : \times \text{into } \frac{f}{ng}$ ,

and the Resistance =  $\frac{n-1 \times 4dq}{3p} - b : \times \text{into } \frac{q-p}{naq} W$ .

COR. 2. But the Velocity and Resistance are the greatest, when  $\dot{z}$  or  $\overline{bb} - bx - 2gz \times \dot{x} = 0$ , and thence  $z = \frac{b-x}{2g} b = \overline{b-x} \times \frac{q-p}{aq} W$ .

COR. 3. And therefore the Velocity and Resistance are the greatest when  $x = \frac{2.30258 \times 4dq}{3p} \times \text{Log} \frac{3pb}{4dq} + 1$ :

For then  $z = \overline{b-x} \times \frac{b}{2g} = \frac{n-1}{n} \times b + \frac{1}{2g} - x : \times \frac{b}{2g}$ ; which reduced gives  $n = 2bg + 1$ , and  $\text{Log. } n$  or the Number  $\frac{2gx}{2.30258} = \text{Log: of } \overline{2bg+1}$ :

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If the oscillating Body is not a Globe, then the Proportion of it's Resistance to that of an equal Globe whose Diameter is  $d$ , must either be calculated from Prob. XXII. Sect. II. or found by Experiments; let that be as 1 to  $m$ : And then we must take  $\frac{f}{m}$  instead of  $g$ , or  $\frac{p}{mdq}$  instead of  $\frac{p}{dq}$  in the foregoing Calculations.



## P R O B. XVI.

To find the Density of the Atmosphere at any Height; supposing the Force of Gravity to be as any Power of the Distance from the Earth's Center, and the Density of the Air as the Compression.

Let  $r$  = Radius of the Earth.

$x$  = Any Distance from the Center.

$d$  = Density of the Atmosphere at the Earth's Surface.

$z$  = Atmosphere's Density at the Distance  $x$ .

$n$  = Exponent of the Law of Gravity.

Since the Density is as the Pressure therefore the Moment of the Density  $\propto$  Moment of Pressure, that is  $\propto$  Moment of Matter  $\times$  Force of Gravity: But Moment of Matter  $\propto$  Density  $\times$  Moment of Space. Therefore the Moment of Density  $\propto$  Density and Moment of Space and Force of Gravity; that is  $z \propto x^n \dot{x}$  universally.

Now it is collected from Experiments that the Weight of 1 Foot high of Air at the Earth's Surface is to the Weight or Pressure of the Atmosphere as 1 to 29725 =  $p$ , at a mean Density; therefore, let  $\dot{x}$

be any small Height, and it is  $p : d :: \dot{x} : \frac{d\dot{x}}{p} =$  Moment of Density at the Earth's Surface. Whence

from the foregoing general Proportion,  $\frac{d\dot{x}}{p} : dr^n \dot{x}$

$:: -\dot{z} : zx^n \dot{x}$  : therefore  $\dot{z} = \frac{-x^n z \dot{x}}{pr^n}$ , and  $\frac{\dot{z}}{z} =$

$\frac{-x^n \dot{x}}{pr^n}$  : And (by Form the 1st and 2d) the Fluent

is  $2.30258 \text{ Log: } z := \frac{-x^{n+1}}{n+1 \times pr^n}$ . And duly corrected,  $2.302585 \times \text{Log: } \frac{z}{d} := \frac{r^{n+1} - x^{n+1}}{n+1 \times pr^n}$  ;  
 therefore  $z = d \times \text{Number of the Log: } \frac{r^{n+1} - x^{n+1}}{2.3025 \times n + 1 \times pr^n}$   
 $= d \times \text{Number belonging to the Log. } \frac{r^{n+1} - x^{n+1}}{68444 \times n + 1 \times r^n}$ .

COR. 1. If  $e$  be any small Height above the Earth's Surface, then  $z = d \times \text{Number of the Log. } \frac{-e}{68444}$ .

COR. 2. If  $n=1$ , then  $z = d \times \text{Number of the Logarithm } \frac{rr - xx}{68444 \times 2r}$ .

COR. 3. If  $n=0$ ,  $z = d \times \text{Number of the Logarithm } \frac{r-x}{68444}$ .

COR. 4. If  $n=-2$ ,  $z = d \times \text{Number belonging to the Logarithm } \frac{r \times r - x}{68444x}$ . In all which  $e$ ,  $r$  and  $x$  are supposed to be taken in Feet.

## P R O B. XVII.

*To find the Density of the Atmosphere at any Height; supposing the Force of Gravity to be as any Power of the Distance, and the Compression as any Power of the Density.*

Let  $r$  = Radius of the Earth.

$d$  = Density at the Earth's Surface.

$x$  = any Distance.

$z =$

$z$  = Density at the Distance  $x$  from the Center.

$p$  = a Length of 29725 Feet.

$n$  = Index of the Force.

$m$  = Index of the Density.

$v$  = compressing Force at the Distance  $x$ .

Now by the Hypothesis  $v \propto z^m$ , and Force  $\propto x^n$ ;

And  $mz^{m-1}\dot{z} \propto$  Moment of Pressure, that is as the Moment of Space and Density and Force of Gravity: that is  $z^{m-1}\dot{z} \propto x^n z \dot{x}$ , or  $z^{m-2}\dot{z} \propto x^n \dot{x}$ , universally.

To find the Moment of Density at the Earth's Surface, we have  $\dot{v} \propto mz^{m-1}\dot{z}$ ; therefore (by Prop. II.)

$$v : \dot{v} :: z^m : mz^{m-1}\dot{z} :: z : m\dot{z}, \text{ therefore } \dot{z} = \frac{z\dot{v}}{mv};$$

but at the Earth's Surface  $z=d$ ; and taking any very small Space  $s$ ) it will be,  $p : v :: s : \dot{v} :: \dot{s} : \dot{v}$ ,

$$\text{and } \frac{\dot{v}}{v} = \frac{\dot{s}}{p}; \text{ whence } \dot{z} = \frac{ds}{mp} = \text{Fluxion of}$$

Density at the Earth's Surface: Therefore from the

$$\text{universal Proportion; } d^{m-2} \times \frac{ds}{mp} : r^n s :: z^{m-2}\dot{z}$$

$$: -x^n \dot{x} :: z^{m-2}\dot{z} : -x^n \dot{x} : \text{ Whence } z^{m-2}\dot{z} =$$

$$\frac{-d^{m-1}x^n \dot{x}}{m p r^n}; \text{ and the Fluent (by Form the 2d) is}$$

$$\frac{z^{m-1}}{m-1} = \frac{-d^{m-1}x^{n+1}}{n+1 \times m p r^n} : \text{ And the Fluent corrected}$$

$$\text{is } \frac{z^{m-1} - d^{m-1}}{m-1} = \frac{d^{m-1}}{n+1 \times m p r^n} \times \frac{r^{n+1} - x^{n+1}}{n+1} :$$

$$\text{And by Reduction } z^{m-1} = d^{m-1} + \frac{m-1 \times r}{n+1 \times m p} d^{m-1}$$

$$- \frac{m-1 \times x^{n+1}}{n+1 \times m p r^n} d^{m-1}.$$

## P R O B. XVIII.

To find the Diameters of the Earth.

FIG. 227. Suppose the Earth to be in the Form of the Spheroid,  $APBQ$ ;  $AB$  the Equinoctial,  $PQ$  the Axis; and let it's mean Radius  $CR=1$ ,  $AC=1+v=a$ . And  $PC=1-v=e$ , let  $CS$  be the Conjugate to  $RC$ , and  $RT$  perpendicular to  $CS$ , then by Conics  $CS = \sqrt{aa+ee-1} = 1+vv=c$ , and  $RT = \frac{ae}{c} = 1-2vv = p$ . Here I reject the Powers of  $v$  above  $vv$  as being very inconsiderable.

In the mean Place  $R$  a heavy body falls about 16,0917 Feet in 1 Second; and the versed Sine of the Arch described by  $R$  in 1 Second by the Earth's Revolution is ,04, (if  $RC=21000000$  Feet); also as  $1 : \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}} :: ,04 : ,0283$  = to the centrifugal Force in  $R$ , as 16,0917 represents the Force of Gravity; therefore 16,12= $d$ , will be the gravitating Force at  $R$  if the Earth stands still: And this is nearly the same with that of a Spheroid whose Axis is  $2RT$ , and Radius of the (Base or) greatest Circle  $\sqrt{ac}$ ; which

(by Corol. 2. Prob. XI.) is  $2p - \frac{4pp}{3\sqrt{ac}} - \frac{2pp}{5ac\sqrt{ac}}$

$\times ac - pp = \frac{2}{3} + \frac{4}{15}v - \frac{187}{30}v^2$ , omitting the given Quantities in that Corollary. Also the Force of the Earth at  $A$  is nearly the same as a Spheroid whose Axis is  $AB$  and Radius of the Base  $\sqrt{ae}$ , that is (by

the same Cor.)  $2a - \frac{4aa}{3\sqrt{ae}} + \frac{2aa \times aa - ae}{5ae\sqrt{ae}} = \frac{2}{3} + \frac{2}{15}v + \frac{2}{3}vv$ . Likewise the Force of the Earth at  $P$

is  $2e - \frac{4ee}{3a} - \frac{2ee \times aa - ee}{5a^3} = \frac{2}{3} + \frac{2}{3}v + 4vv$ .

For

For the centrifugal Force at the Equinoctial, it is as  $\sqrt{\frac{1}{2}} : 1+v :: .04 : .05657 \times 1+v = b+bv$  (by Substitution) = centrifugal Force at  $A$ : Also  $\frac{2}{3} + \frac{4}{15}v - \frac{1}{30}vv : d :: \frac{2}{3} + \frac{2}{15}v + \frac{2vv}{5} : 1 - \frac{1}{5}v + 10.03vv$

$\times d$  for the gravitating Force at  $A$ , if the Earth stood still: from this take  $b+bv$  the centrifugal Force, and we get  $1 - \frac{1}{5}v + 10.03vv \times d - b - bv$  for the Force of Gravity at  $A$  when the Earth is in Motion.

Let  $CD=x$ ,  $CE=y$ . Since the Gravity and also the centrifugal Force (which is as the Decrease of Gravity) in  $A$  and  $D$ , are as  $a$  or  $1+v$  to  $x$ , therefore the gravitating Force of the Earth in  $D$ , when the Earth is in Motion will be  $1 - \frac{6}{5}v + 11.23v^2 \times dx - bx$ .

Lastly,  $\frac{2}{3} + \frac{4}{15}v - \frac{1}{30}vv : d :: \frac{2}{3} + \frac{2}{15}v + 4vv : 1 + \frac{1}{5}v + 15.27vv \times d$  the Force of Gravity at  $P$ . And since the Forces in  $P$  and  $E$  are as  $e$  or  $1-v$  to  $y$ , therefore the Force at  $E$  is  $1 + \frac{6}{5}v + 16.47vv \times dy$ .

Now suppose the Weights of the Columns  $x$  and  $y$  to be equal; therefore their Moments or Fluxions multiplied into the gravitating Forces at  $D$  and  $E$ , will be equal; that is  $1 - \frac{6}{5}v + 11.23vv \times dx \times x - bx \times x = 1 + \frac{6}{5}v + 16.47vv \times dy \times y$ , and taking the Fluents, and dividing by  $\frac{1}{2}d$ , and putting  $1+v$  and  $1-v$  for

$x$  and  $y$ , there comes out  $1 - \frac{6}{5}v + 11.23v^2 - \frac{b}{d} \times$

$\frac{1}{1+v} = 1 + \frac{6}{5}v + 16.47vv \times \frac{1-v}{d}$ ; that is  $1 - \frac{b}{d} +$

$\frac{2b}{d} \times v + 9.83 - \frac{b}{d} \times v^2 = 1 - \frac{4}{5}v - 15.07v^2$ ,

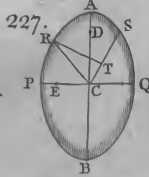
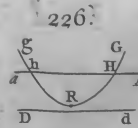
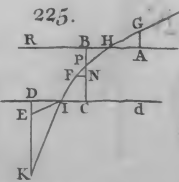
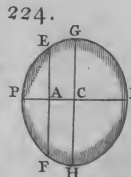
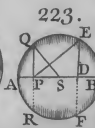
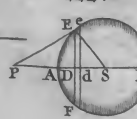
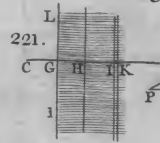
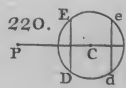
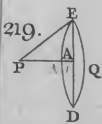
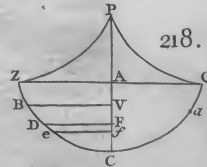
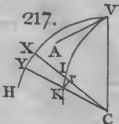
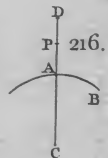
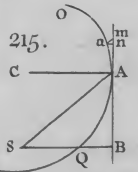
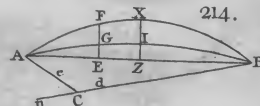
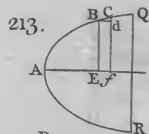
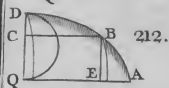
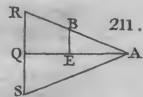
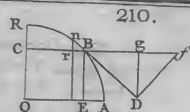
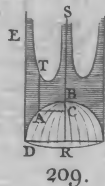
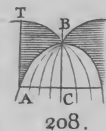
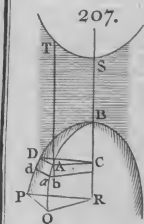
Or  $vv + .0639v = .000141$ , whence  $v = .00213$ , and  $CA - CP = .00426$ : And therefore if the mean Radius of the Earth be 21000000, then  $CA - CP = 89460$  Feet or 17 English Miles nearly: Therefore  $AC = 21044730$ , and  $PC = 20955270$  Feet.

## S C H O L I U M.

This Computation supposes the Earth every where of equal Density: But since that is not certainly known, nor with what Force a Spheroid accurately attracts a Body when situated out of the Axis; nor whether the Earth itself is exactly a Spheroid: These Things may render this Solution a little incorrect. If the Earth be more rare towards the Equinoctial than towards the Poles; it's Height at the Equinoctial will be encreased in that Proportion.

And now I might proceed to the Calculation of other more difficult Problems, such as *finding the Curves described by Bodies acted upon by any Laws of Gravity, and moving in Mediums which resist as any Powers of the Velocity; the Motion of the Nodes and Apfides of the Moon; the Precession of the Equinoxes; and such like.* But since these cannot be dispatched in a few Words, but often run into long and tedious Calculations, and require a great deal of Room, I shall not trouble the Reader with them, especially since the Method of pursuing and managing these is the very same as in those Problems here delivered. And therefore I suppose, if the Reader understands what has been before laid down, he will be able of himself to apply *this Doctrine* to the Solution of any other Problem that happens to fall in his way, though more complex, without any further Assistance.

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